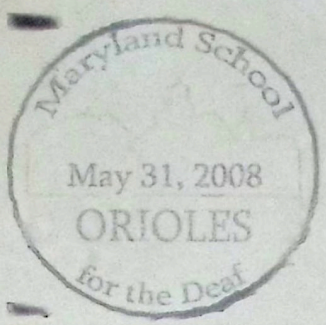

Post Memories

Maryland School for the Deaf

101 Clarke Place

Frederick,

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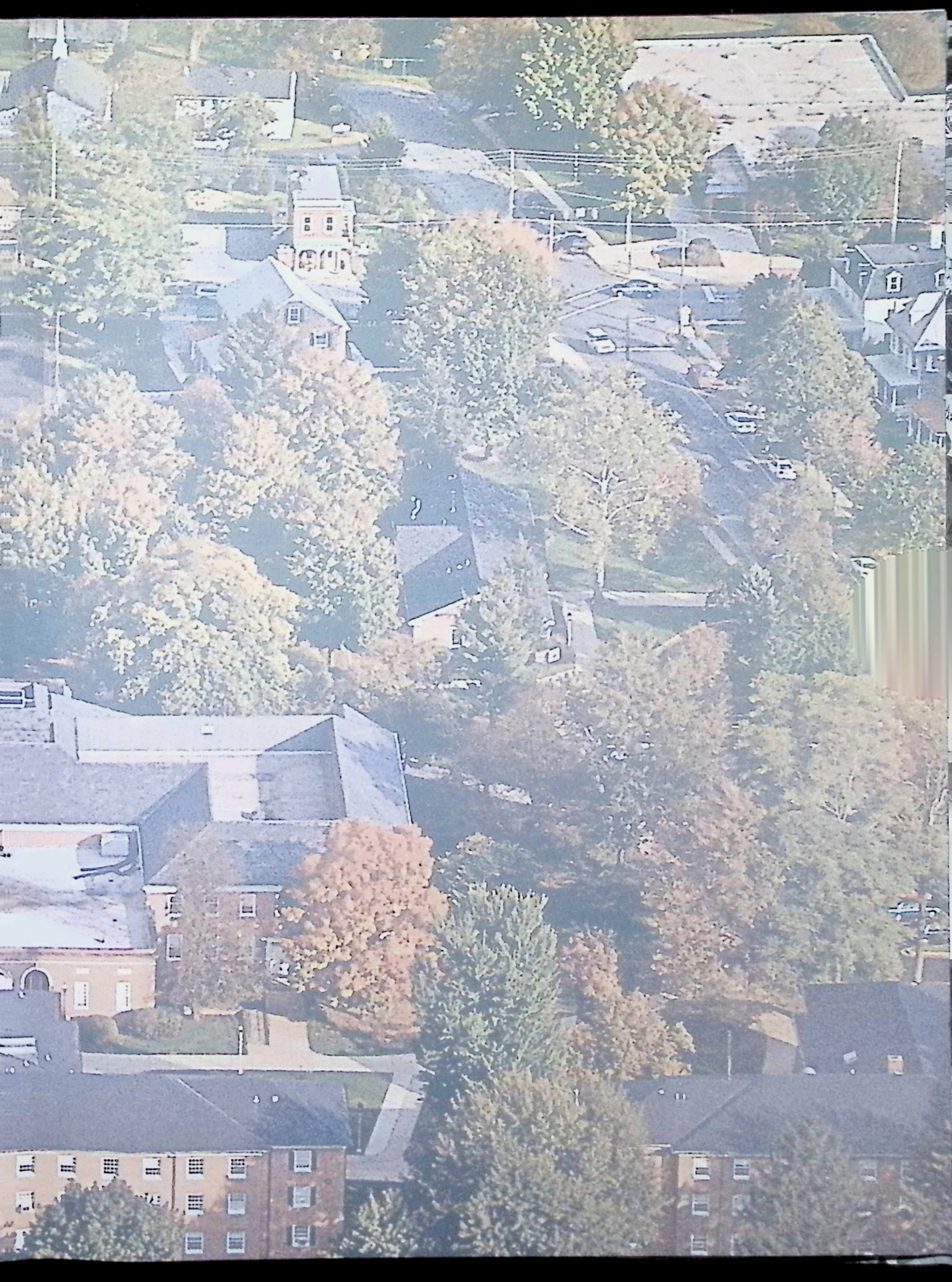

Tyler.

You are totally awesome and you're one of my favorite cousins!!! I ♥ you!

- Bobbi Cruz

P.S. You read my jokes!!! :)

"A face that says a thousand words,
hands that seem to tell secrets.
That's the beauty of it."

Everyone has a secret that no one knows. But today, right now, at this very moment, secrets will be shared. Lives will be intertwined forever. Through our own eyes, we have the privilege to see something that only a few others have. We see hands moving around so fast that it's just a blur to others. Most of us have signed our whole lives but the sad secret no one knows is we don't take the time to realize that sign language is beautiful! The movement of our hands is so captivating that anybody who sees us sign will crave to learn it.

The Cornerstone 2008 holds many secrets that are about to be revealed.

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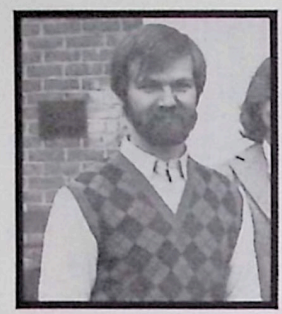

Julius Vold

Julius Vold, our cool motorcycle-riding teacher started working at MSD in 1981. During his 27 years working at MSD, he taught High School Math and Social Studies, he currently teaches Middle School Math. Mr. Vold also worked as a sponsor for the Junior Leadership Training Program with Mrs. Kerri Lawler-Davis and was a class sponsor for three different classes. Students have always enjoyed his sense of humor and his positive outlook on life. He is sure to share advice and feedback whenever there is a moment to spare in class. He also loves talking about his toys, motorcycles and has a skill for getting his students to pass Math no matter how much they dislike the subject.

Mr. Vold deserves this recognition for all his work and genuine care for his students. One cannot help but smile at him every time they pass his classroom as they watch him undergoing his passion- teaching.

Millie Russo has worked for MSD - CC since it opened; she was a pioneer of sorts from our historical perspective. Her actual start date was August 29, 1973. That is a total of 33 years and counting of direct service to MSD students. She actually started out as a Teacher's Aide, but within a year, moved over to become a "Dorm Counselor" now known as a "Student Life Counselor."

Ms. Russo has been an amazing and outstanding worker all these years. In one of her earliest evaluations, she was described as "enjoys working with children; enjoys the dormitory environment and feels this is where she fits." Wow, was this person right! It is estimated she has worked with 100s of students during this time most of whom still recognize and appreciate her even today. Her stability, compassion, self motivation, and genuine caring are not skills that can be taught, it is just who she is. She is always there to help, never seems to miss work, and is always on time and on duty. She only asks for what is needed to do her best for her students. Ms. Russo, simply put, is a model Student Life Counselor. From a student's perspective she is a second mother; from a parent's perspective she is "peace of mind" as they know their child will be safe and cared for; from a co-worker's perspective she is everyone's preferred teammate, and from the administrative perspective, 100 Millie Russo(s) would be just fine!

Millie Russo

Orioles Management Team

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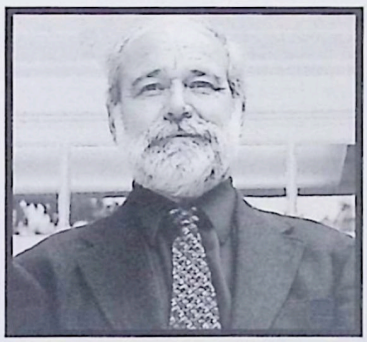
Principal,
Frederick Campus

James E. Tucker
Superintendent

John Snaulin
Principal,
Columbia Campus

Eva Staubitz
Director of Personnel Services



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Suzanne Schwertman
Chief Financial Officer

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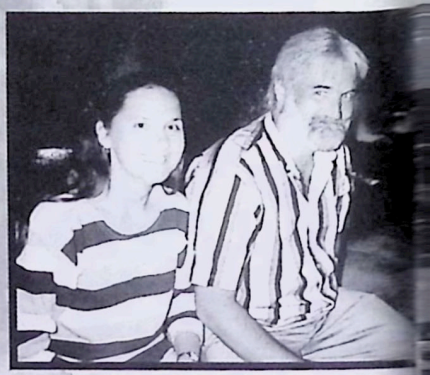
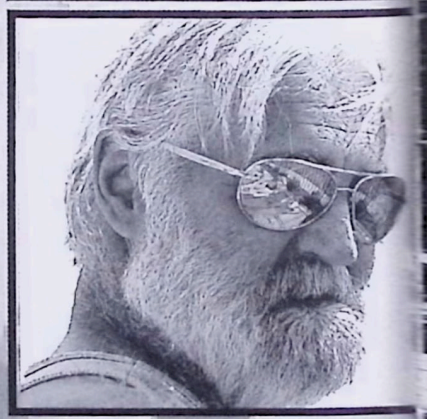
Absent: William J. Bowman

In Memory of Wayne Robert Monroe

Wayne Monroe worked as a teacher's aide and Student Life Counselor at Maryland School for the Deaf, Frederick since 1994. Wayne also was the Booster Club treasurer and assistant coach for wrestling, volleyball, and softball. Wayne would always be seen around the Benson Gym rooting for the MSD Orioles' games. Wayne was active in the community and was a tremendous volunteer in Frederick's deaf community. Wayne's lo for MSD is carried on through his daughters, son-in-law, and grandchildren, Jazob, Ror and Jalina. He is sorely missed.





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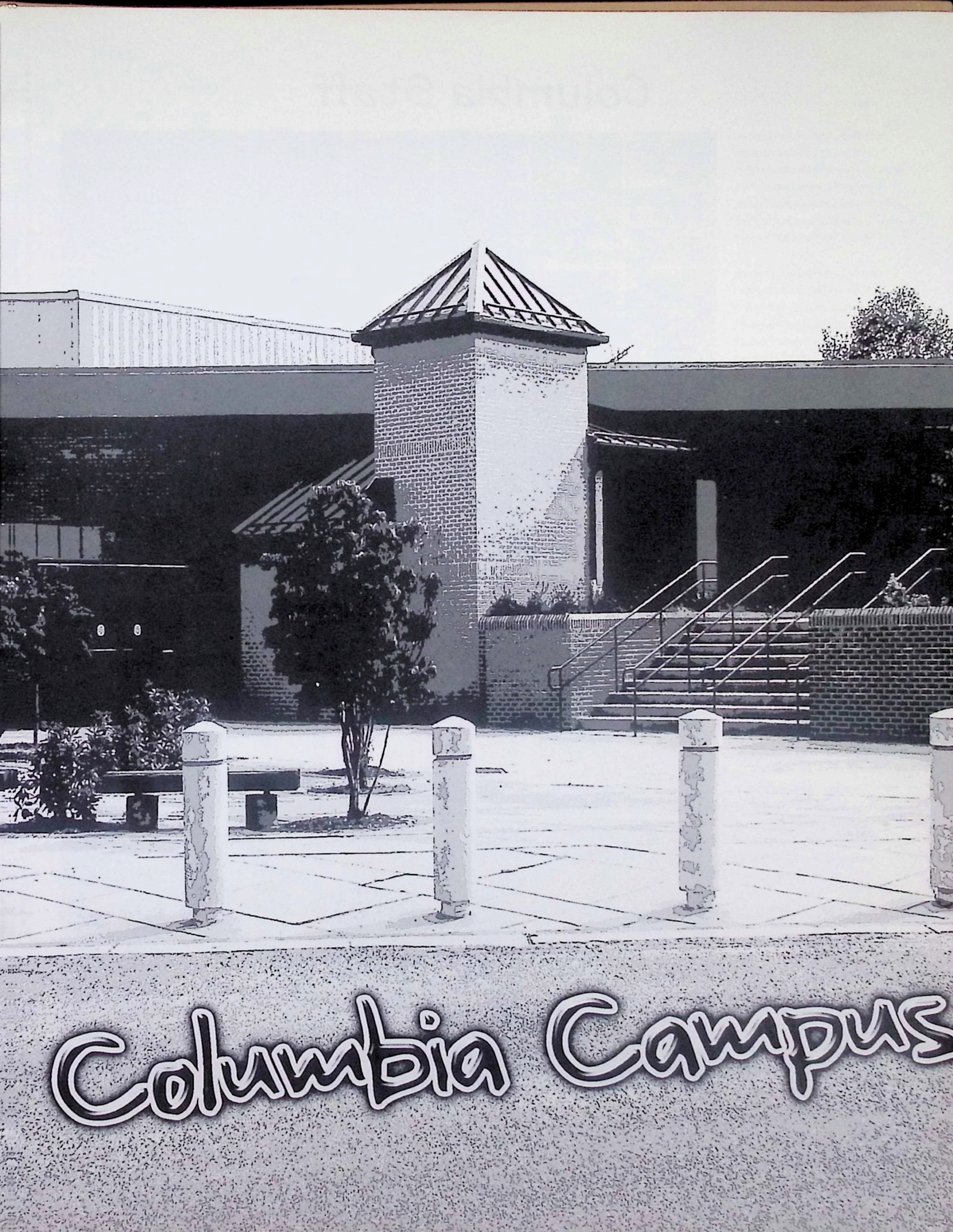
See you later, Huh



Columbia Campus

Columbia Staff

Michelle Ailstock, ES Teacher
Brian Alles, School Psychologist
Shannon Ambush, ES Teacher
Evelyn Anthony, Clerical Aide
Stella Antonio-Conley, Drama Teacher
Carol Baker, Teacher Aide
Richard Ballard, Asst. Prin./Dean of Students

Catherine Baptiste, Housekeeping
Suzanne Behun, MS Teacher
Helen Berke, SL Supervisor
Ray Branker, Dietary
Debra Brinker, Speech Pathologist
Lori Britt, ES Teacher
Peggy Bruce, Behavior Specialist

Dean Buck, PE Teacher
Janell Bunn-Verdin, FE/EI Teacher
Pamela Campbell, Teacher Aide
Kathleen Charles, Agency Buyer
Patricia Citro, Nursing Supervisor
Karen Coale, Teacher Aide
Lawrence Cohen, Behavior Specialist

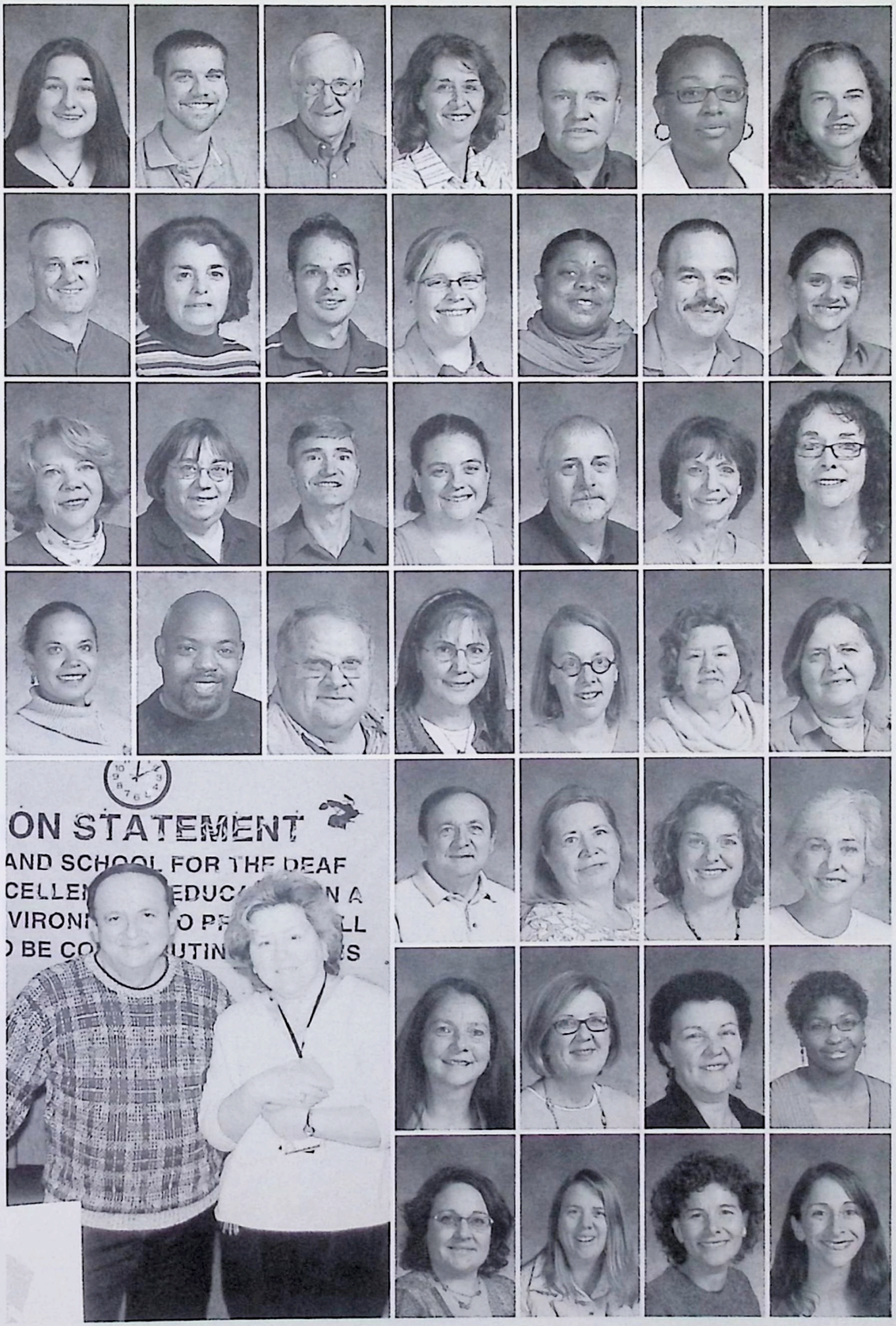
Yolette Cohen, FE/EI Teacher
Joyce Cohen-Scher, ES Teacher
Jody College, ES Teacher
Megan Conaghan, ES Teacher
[illegible]as Cooke, Library Media Specialist
Christina Czopek, SLC
Pierre Daze, ES Teacher

Michelle Deacon, SLC
Iantha Dean, Secretary
Peggy Dell, Clerical Aide
Donna Derkowski, Teacher Aide
Deborah Doe, Teacher Aide
Cheri Dowling, Partners for Success Coor.
Nancy Downey, Assistant Principal

Anne Drechsler, MS Teacher
Christopher Duck, Behavior Specialist
Katherine Duck, FE/EI Teacher

Noa Dvir, SLC
Sarah Fairbanks, FE/EI Teacher
John Felix, Reading Specialist

ES = Elementary School
MS = Middle School



Jacqueline Freyburger, ES Teacher
Kevin Gahagan, SLC
Rudolph Gawlik, Family Service Specialist
JoAnne Geppert, MS Teacher
John Gibson, MS Teacher
La Shonda Gibson, Teacher Aide
Cynthia Gilmore, MS Teacher

Donald Girodo, Driver
Karen Golshiri, Teacher Aide
William Gonzalez, SLC
Rebecca Greenwald, Teacher Aide
Karen Guteng, Teacher Aide
Kevin Hall, Teacher Aide
Sabrina Harberts, Teacher Aide

Joanne Hardesty, Speech Pathologist
Barbara Herschman, ES Teacher
Daniel Hicks, Personnel Associate
Elizabeth Hill, ES Teacher
David Hirsch, ES Teacher
Holly Hoglund, ES Teacher
Rachel Jenkins, Maintenance Supervisor

Janelle Johnson, Teacher Aide
Jason Johnson, SLC
Tim Karman, MS Teacher
Dianne Kirby, FE Teacher Aide
Pam Kraemer, FE/EI Teacher
Verna Kramer, Administrative Assistant
Linda Kunz, ES Teacher

Francis Lanasa, Receptionist
Stephanie Leake, Nurse
Shelby Leilich, ES Teacher
Susan Maginnis, MS Teacher

Carolyn Markel, FE/EI Teacher Aide
Deborah Marquez, FE/EI Supervising Teacher
Robin Massey, ASL Specialist
Tiffany Matthews, SLC

Shelly McCulley, ES Teacher
Nancy McIntosh, Comm. Services Director
Joan Miller, Teacher Aide
Christine Morreale, Teacher Aide

Ruth Nelson, Occupational Therapist
Luis Pages, Maintenance
Mary Jo Palmisano, Teacher Aide
Jenny Perry, Curriculum Coordinator
Elaine Persons, Physical Therapist
Connie Pierro, Housekeeping Supervisor
Karin Polzin, Mental Health Coordinator

William Pond, Art Teacher
Rosa Portillo, Teacher Aide
Cheryl Rasel, SLC
Elizabeth Reed, Reading Specialist
Joan Richey, Teacher Aide
Mary Ann Richmond, FE/EI Teacher
Daniel Rinas, ASP Coordinator

Hazel Rinas, Teacher Aide
Carlos Rivera, SLC
George Ruhl, Maintenance
Millie Russo, SL Supervisor
Alfred Scanlon, Teacher Aide
eslie Schilling, Teacher Aide
Teri Scotton, Teacher Aide

Brandie Seaman, ES Teacher
Carrie Shortt, Family Ed Teacher Aide
Lisa Skaggs, MS Teacher
Shannon Smith, SLC
John Snavlin, Principal/Asst. Supt.
Carol Snyder, Teacher Aide
Damon Sparrow, Teacher Aide

Latasha Spenard, Teacher Aide
Karen Steele, Teacher Aide
Maryann Swann, Director of FE/EI
Patricia Timm, FE/EI Teacher
Vincent Velotta, Maintenance
Dolores vonGarrel, Teacher Aide
Kathleen Waddell, Nurse

Micia White, Secretary
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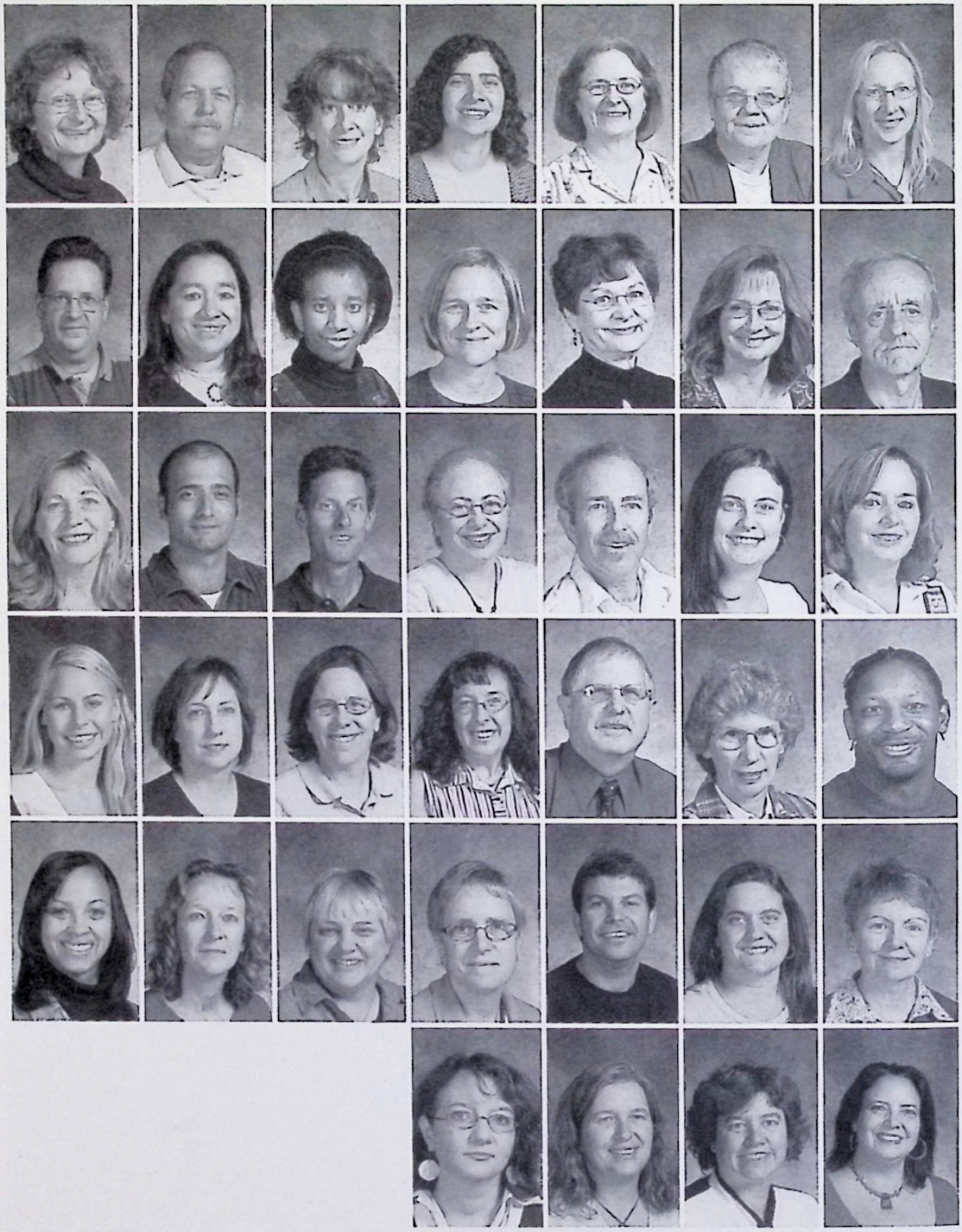
Victoria Willard, Teacher Aide
Jeanine Zwick, Teacher Aide



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Angela Ali-Taha, Dietary
Myra Barbour, Speech Pathologist
Lewis Barnhart, Maintenance
Lyndon Burrell, Maintenance
Stephanie Caplan, Reading Specialist
Dane Colbert, Enchanced Services Director
Mark DeSantis, SLC
James Ellis, Housekeeping
Teresa Fawley, Dietary Manager
Andrew Francis, SL Supervisor
Laraine Hardy, Teacher Aide
Kevin Jackson, Housekeeping
JoAnn Kaulfuss, Secretary
Mary Ann Kinsella-Meier, CI Coordinator
Wilma Oliphant, Dietary
Lillian Pfeifer, Housekeeping
Alma Rivera, Teacher Aide
Tammy Smith, FE/EI Teacher Aide
Clarence Taylor, SLC
Bonita Thompson, Housekeeping
Diane Vari-Alquist, FE/EI Teacher
Latrina Wallace, Food Service Supervisor

Infants

Calvin Eaton
Faith Miller
Lawson Vollmar

Toddlers

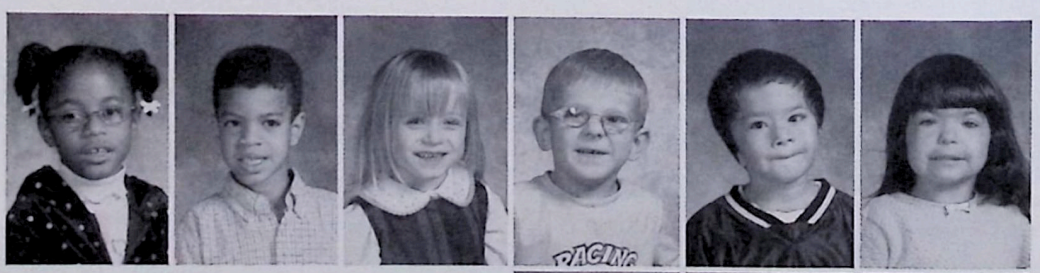
Sophia Eaton
Dylan Johnson
Madison Nilan
Matthew Sorace
Emma Vollmar

Preschool

Sabrina Eaton
Justice Lambert
Dylan Miller

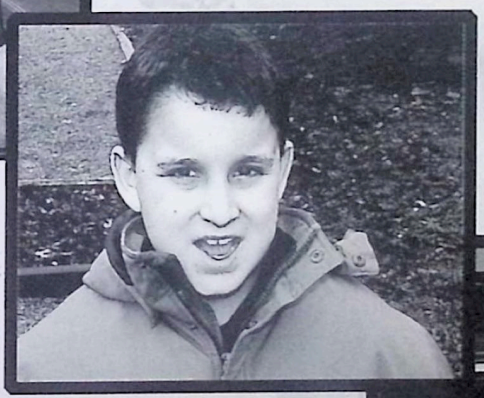
PreKindergarten

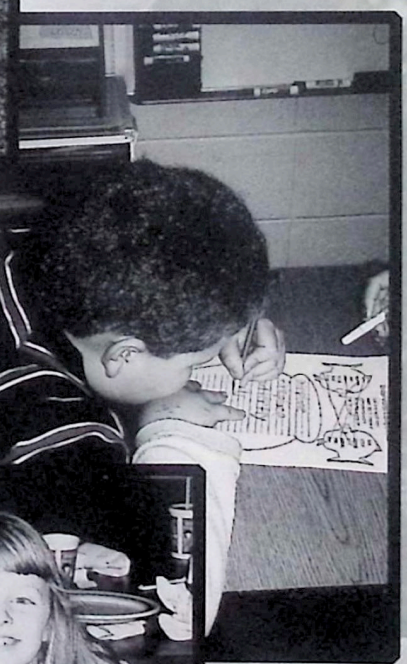
Jendayi Anomachi
Josiah Armstrong Allen
Autumn Boyer
Matthew Brillant
Christopher Herrera
Jeri Lombardo

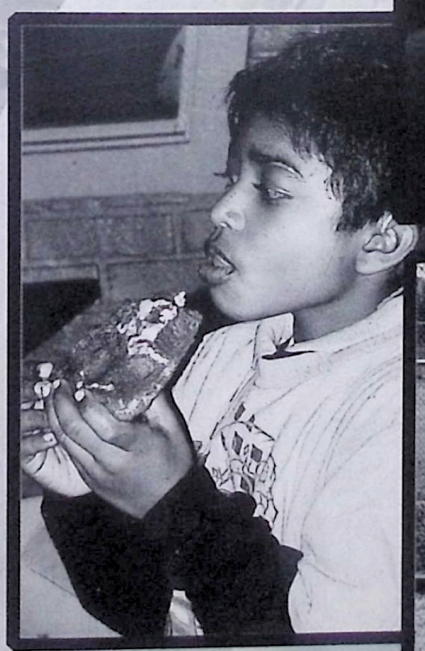


Dana Roberts
Emma Skaggs
Victoria Woodhull

Columbia Elementary







Kindergarten

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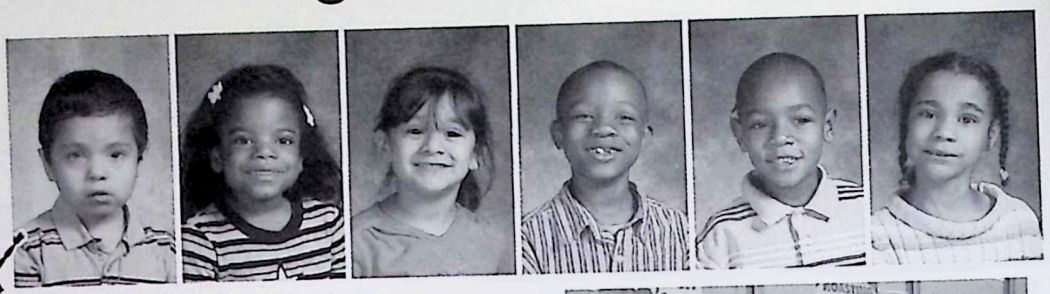
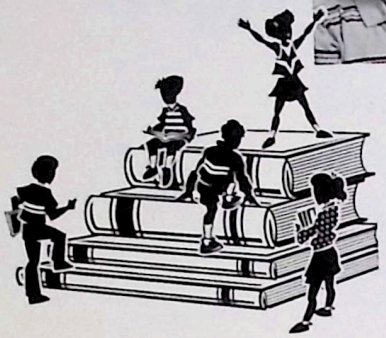
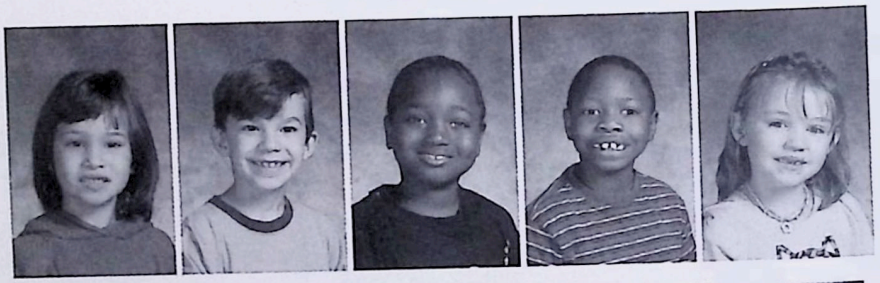
Kamri Gooding
Desiree Huerta
Amaree McKenstry
Jamaal Porter
Ta'Nayah Waller





First Grade

Hannah Aitken
Christopher Bell
Tylique Gross
Oluwakayode Onobiyi
Brooke Tochterman



Second Grade

Sarah Bell
Lai'Yonea Branch
Dana Brooks
Abigail Chacon
Raymond Isaac
Makavia Jusu

Crystelle Kemajou
Jason Lombardo
Haripriya O'Brien
Chanel Telp
Sebastian Velata
Sara Young

Third Grade

Jake Bortoletto
Malika Canada
Madison Givens
Marcus Govan
Alina Kenina
Jessica Randolph
Aidan Southard
Alan Sullivan Jr.

Fourth Grade

Patrick Bolingbroke
Joshua Cadondon
Ronald Campanaro
Deidra Davis
Zachary Foote
Zaire Gousse
Ceonte Jackson
Jiang McConville
Lance Norman
Caleb Ouimette
Simone Proby
Miles Scotto
Salia Stanback
Heather Stanley
Ashley Thompson

Fifth Grade

Angelo Archibald
Mikesha Bluthenthal
Thomas Hamm
Tamia Harris
Samantha Ivon
Kayla Jarvis
Hasan Manzoor
Max Olson
Haley Rhyanes
Nova Schenk
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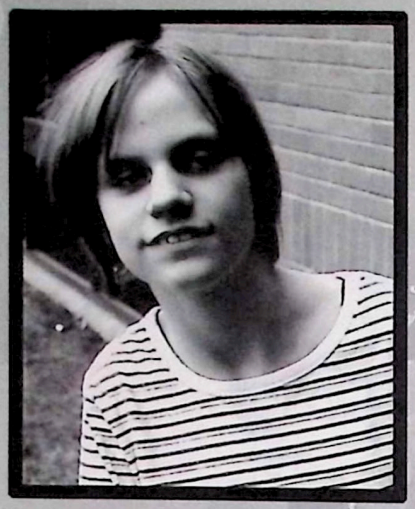
Carolyn Wiley
Jasmine Woodruff

Not Pictured
Zachary Baldwin



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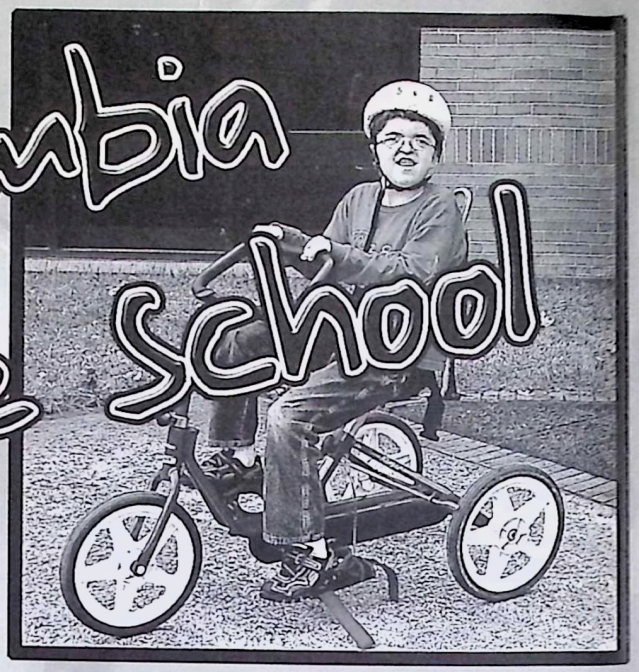
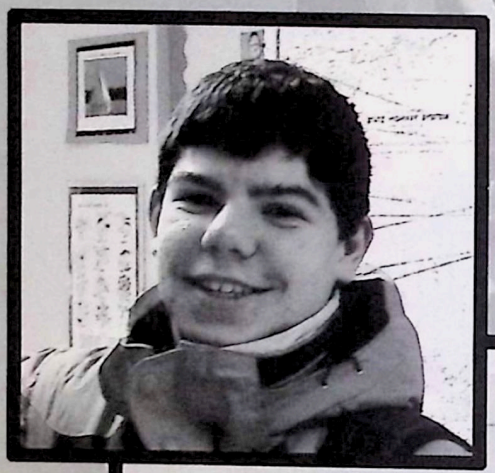
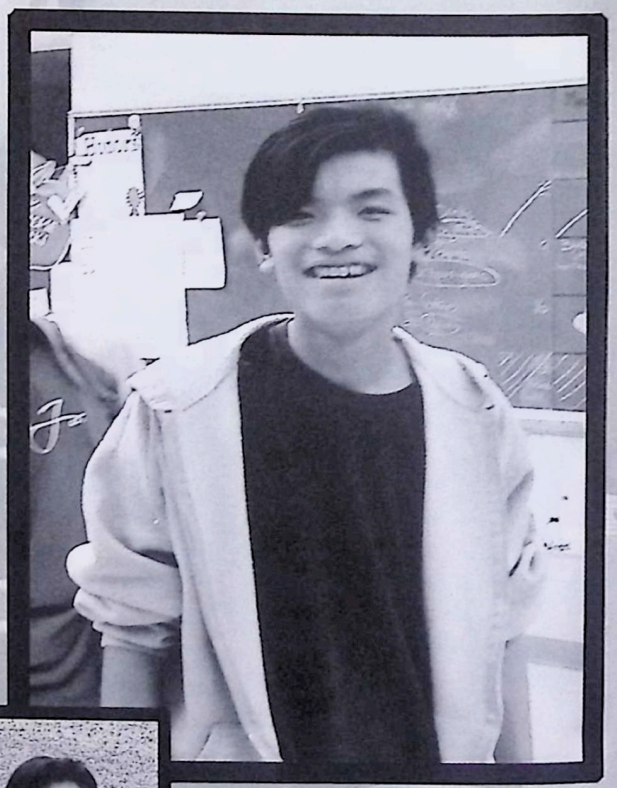
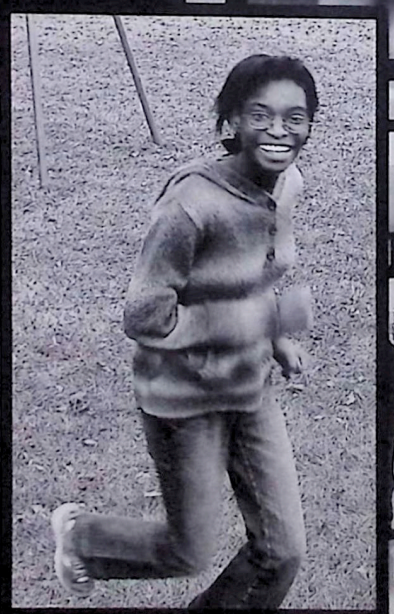
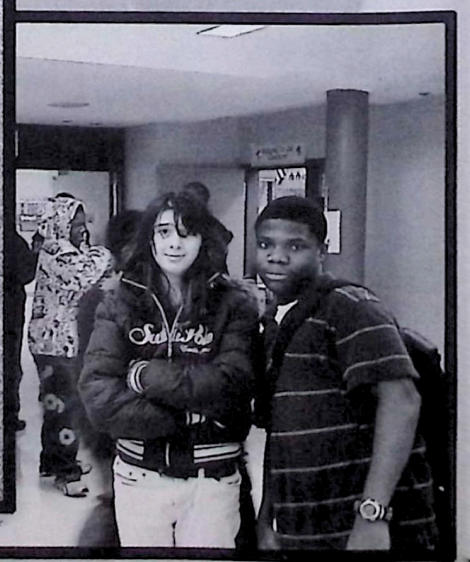










Sixth Grade

Carroll Barnes
Ryan Carr
Patrick Dowling
Edward Foy
Brandon Garrett
DeAndre Holmes

Sagar Patel
Jessica Roach
Eduardo Tejeda

Seventh Grade

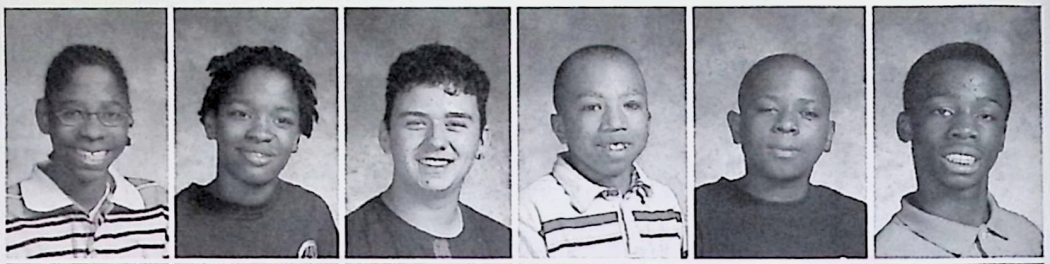
Amanda Ames
Rhyshem Bagley
Philippe Belanger
Benjamin Cunningham
Lamont Duke
Charles Fisher

Justine Fontenot
Shanta Hicks
Tyausha Holland
Charles Hubbs
Donnell Jones
Steven Metger

DeAndrew Randall
Brittany Smith

Eighth Grade

Jayme Carraway
Noah Coakley
Brodey Craig
Char'Vez Creek
Tygee Gaynor
Jason Green



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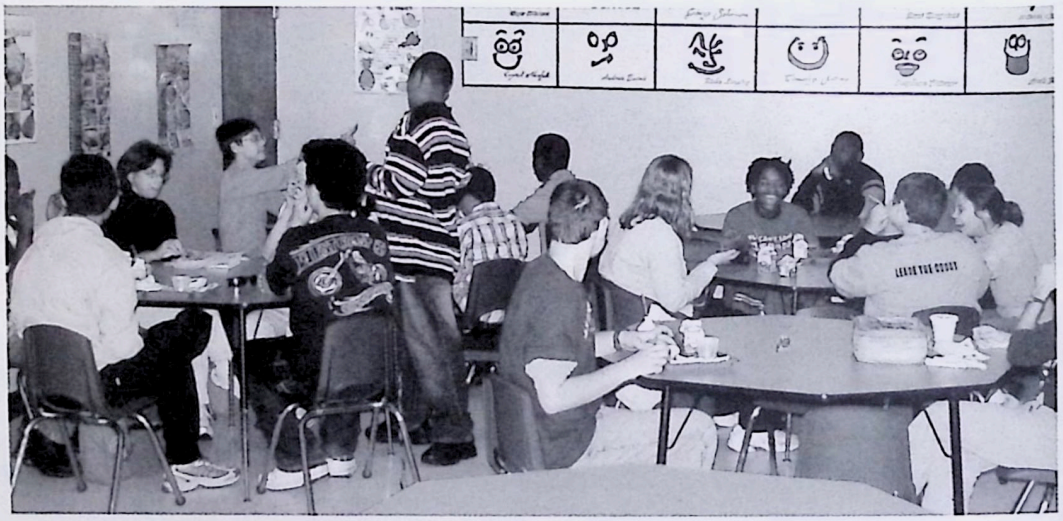
Darius Jackson
James Martin
Bama Nde
Alexis Paylor
Chris Sharp



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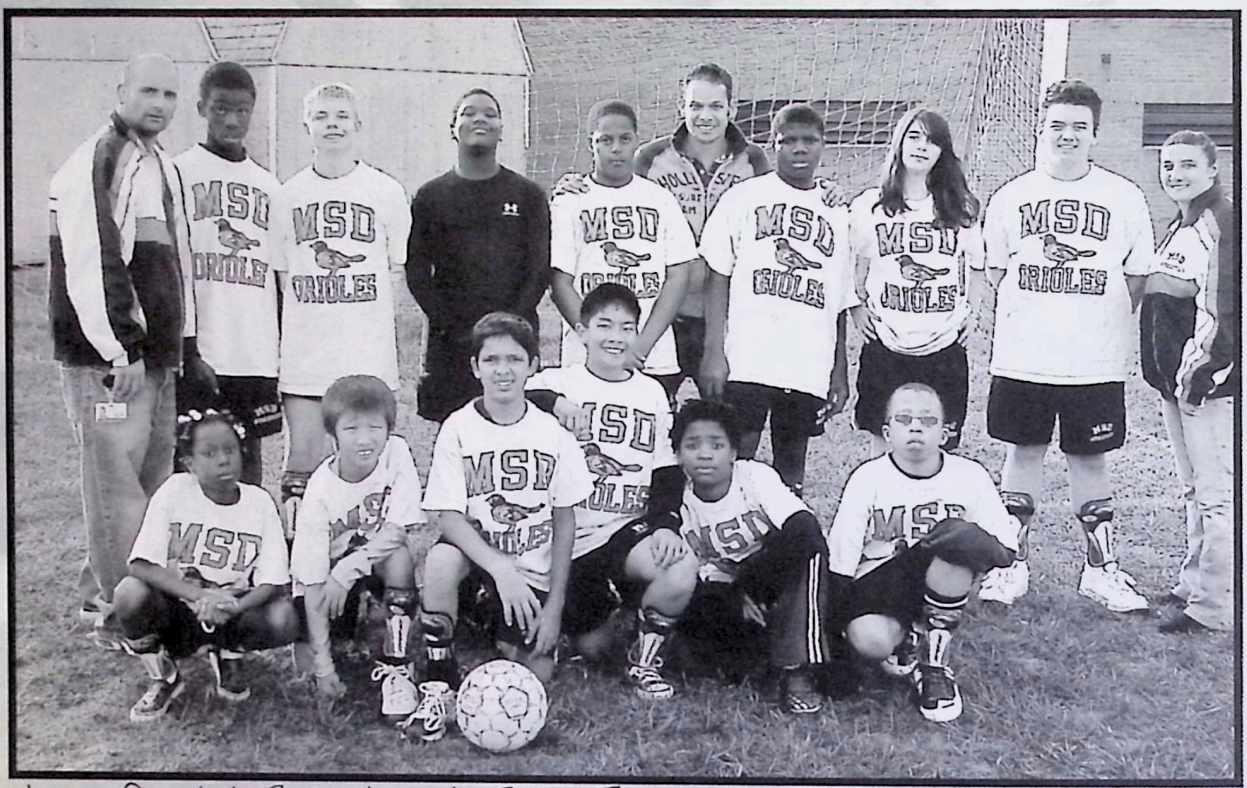

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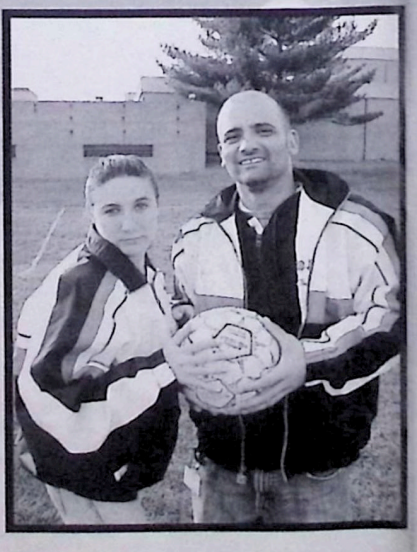
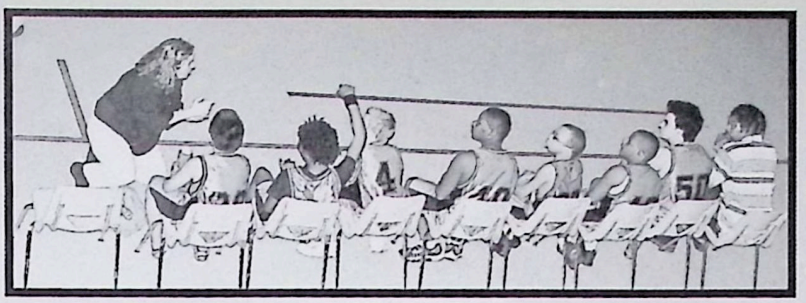
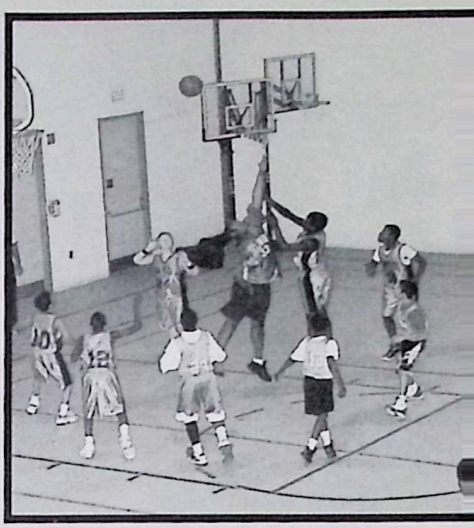
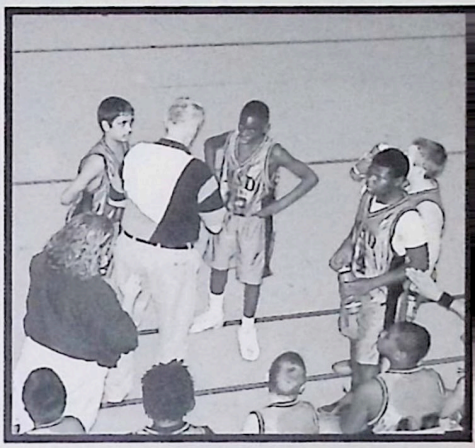
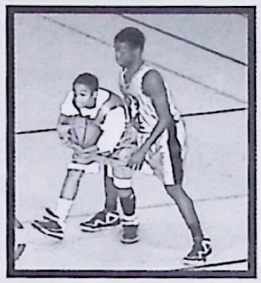
Front row from L to R: Carolyn Wiley, Jiang McConville, Sagar Patel, Joshua Cadondon, Noah Coakley, Char'Vez Creek











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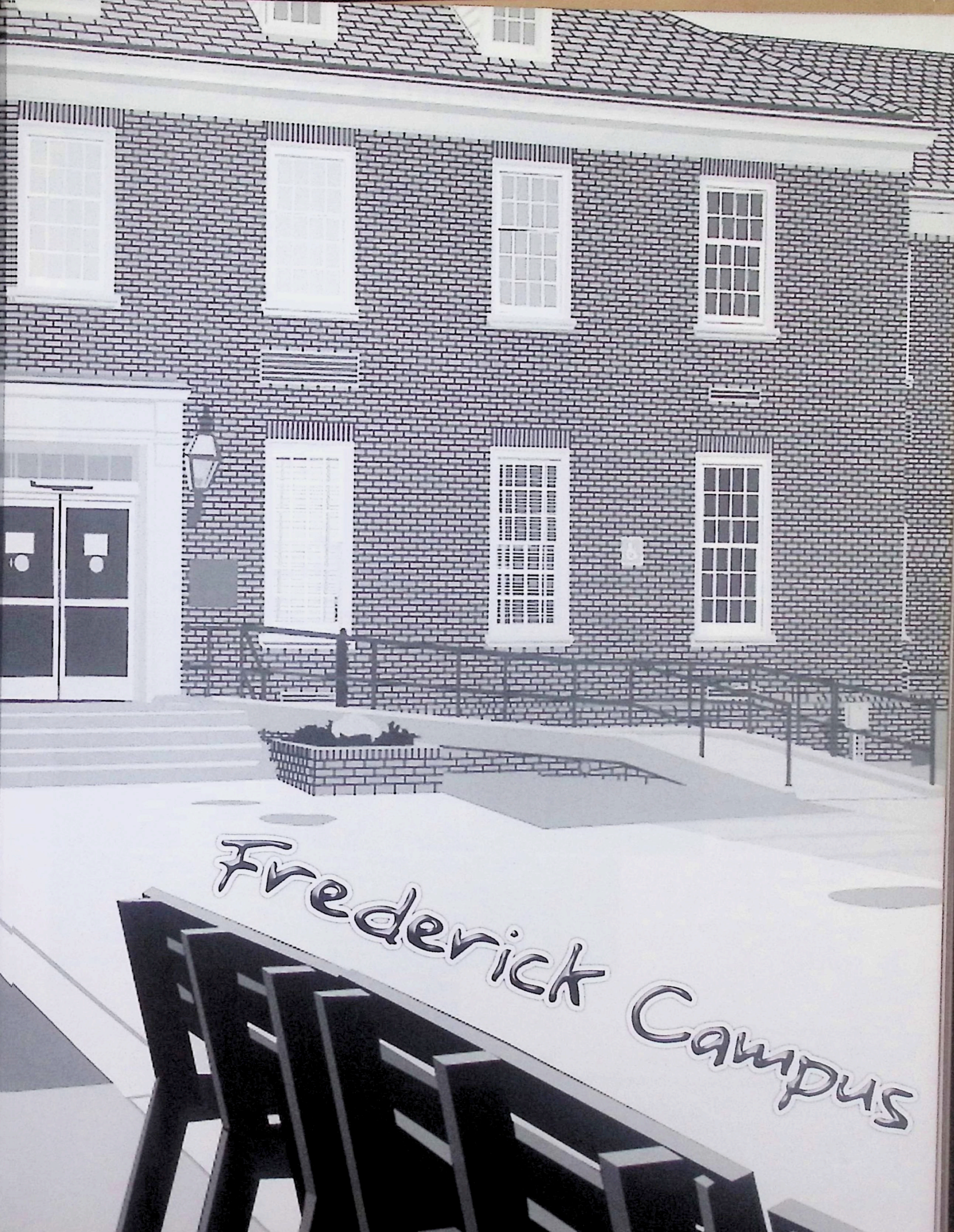
Front row from L to R: Noah Coakley, Bama Nde, Jason Green, Char'Vez Creek, Brodey Craig
Missing: Ryan Carr, Joshua Cadondon

Columbia Basketball

Back row from L to R: Asst. Coach Clarence Taylor III, Justine Fontenot, Amanda Ames, Shanta Hicks, Tamia Hannis, Coach Andrew Francis
Front row from L to R: Nova Schenk, Sara Young, Haley Rhyanes
Missing: Carolyn Wiley and Lai'Yonea Branch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Frank Allnutt, CTE Teacher
Anna Amati, ES SLC
Alvin Amberg, HS SLC
Susan Angell, ES SLC
Natalie Arcara, ES Teacher
Robin Ariosa, Dietary Admin
Fatimah Aziz, HS Teacher

Kathleen Baker, Secretary
Lynn Ballard-Weiner, ASL Specialist
Ann Bartholomew, ES SLC
Sheri Bergman-Galvez, LBE/ES Teacher
Jeannine Bernazani, Family Ed Teacher
Katrina Bernharda-Mansfield, HS SLC
Sheryl Berrigan, Family Ed Clerical Aide
Terrence Berrigan, HS SLC

Randee Bickford, ES Teacher
Daniel Biskupiak, LBE/ES Teacher Aide
Eren Boden, HS SLC
Andrew Bonheyo, Athletic Director
Lori Bonheyo, Special Assistant to Principal
Judy Bostian, Dietary Supervisor
Sherry Bradley-Koo, ES Teacher
Peggy Braun, HS SLC

Mark Brenna, HS SLC
Van Brewer, CTE Teacher
Brian Brizendine, CTE Teacher
David Broggins, Dietary
Susan Brooks, ES SLC
Darrius Brown, HS SLC
n Buck, Work Study Coordinator
Trude Buck, HS Clerical Aide

Robin Burrhus, HS SLC
Leigh Clapp, HS Teacher
Cheryl Collier, ES Teacher
Yolanda Colston, HS SLC
Bobbie Connelly, HS Clerical Aide
Rita Corey, CTE Teacher
Nancy Crawford, HS SLC
Nan Cronk-Walker, Asst. Dir. of Pupil Personnel

Deborah Cumberland, HS SLC
Jason Dietz, LBE/ES Teacher Aide
Terri Dietz, Adjustment Teacher
Mary Eldukevicius, MS Reading Specialist
Christy Elliott, HS Teacher
Tamara Jo Ellis, ES Teacher Aide
James Etheridge, HS SLC
Stacey Farone, HS Teacher

Andrea Feldman, MS Teacher
Peter Feldman, ES Teacher

Home of the Orioles

ES = Elementary School
MS = Middle School
HS = High School
LBE/ES = Life Based Education/Enchanced Services

Marsha Flowers, MS Assistant Principal
Lisa Flynn, CTE Assistant Principal
Jennifer Foust, HS SLC
Danny Frank, Family Ed Teacher
Suzanne Gamble, Librarian Aide
Lisa Gastelle, Communication Specialist
Deeanna Gibson, Librarian Aide
Lillie Goodsell, Housekeeping
Kelly Green, LBE/ES Teacher Aide
Linda Green, Housekeeping
Della Hager, Guidance Counselor
Cassandra Harris, ES Teacher Aide
Carolyn Hediger, Secretary
Mathis Hediger, PE Teacher
Gaye Heisey, ES SLC
Sue Hill, ES Reading Specialist
Ann Hirsch, LBE/ES Assistant Principal
Dr. Patti Hodgdon, Director of Student Support Serv
Susan Hosman, HS SLC
Lisa Houck, Director of Curriculum and Instr
Joann Hueting, Nurse
Trudy Hugel, Fiscal Accounts Clerk Supervisor
Kamilla Jakubowyc, HS Teacher
Larry Johnson, Maintenance
Edna Johnston, HS Teacher
John Jones, HS SLC
Jay Jordan, LBE/ES Teacher
Christopher Kaftan, HS Teacher
Susan Kaplan, HS SLC
Rosella Kelly, HS SLC
Mike Kent, MS Teacher Aide
Cathleen Kettler, MS Teacher
Adrienne King, Family Ed Teacher
Leesa King, Nurse
Vicki Kitsembel, PE Teacher
Kerrie Koopman, Procurement Officer
Thomas Korn, PE Teacher Aide
Kristie Kovarcik, Community Relations Specialist
Bonnie Kramer, HS Teacher
Renee Krotche, MS Teacher Aide
Diane Kubey-Dunn, HS SLC
Robyn Lafferty, Family Ed Teacher
Mary Lynn Lally, ES Assistant Principal
Kerri Lawler-Davis, HS Teacher
Adora Lehmann, Mental Health Counselor
Thea Levinson, ES SLC
Nancy Lewis, Behavior Specialist
Robert Lewis, CTE Teacher
Amy Lindley, Family Ed Teacher

Laura Lohmeyer, PE Teacher Aide
Alice Lohoefer, Secretary
Leah Louallen, LBE/ES Teacher Aide
Celine Lowrie, Director of Nursing
Jolene Luttrell, Family Ed Teacher
Susan Luttrell-Jordan, SLC Supervisor
Jerry Mabashov, PE Teacher
Tamara Majocha, School Counselor
Eric Mansfield, MS Teacher
Keri Mays, SLC Supervisor
Helen McClarin, HS SLC
Dona McVay, Family Ed Supervising Teacher
Maria Meraz, Housekeeping
Janet Mertz-Witczak, CTE Teacher
Gary Milburn, Painter
Jenny Miller-Barron, MS SLC
Timothy Monigan, LBE/ES Teacher Aide
Roberta Monroe, ES Clerical Aide
Gertrude Morita, ES Teacher Aide
Deeadra Morrison, ES Adjustment Teacher
Scott Morrison, Director of Physical Education
Theresa Napoli, Psychometrist
Wanda Naylor, Secretary
Lawrence Newman, Publication Specialist
Todd Newman, LBE/ES Teacher Aide
Thomas Noh, HS SLC
Jane Nowalski, LBE/ES Teacher Aide
Martin O'Brien, MS Teacher
Susanna Oliver, Director of Pupil Personnel Serv
David Olson, Dietary Clerk
Maribel Ortiz, ES Teacher Aide
Cameron Overs, LBE/ES Teacher
Melinda Padden, Principal
Michelle Palmer-Morales, Librarian
George Papazis, HS SLC
Joette Paulone, CTE Teacher Aide
Janie Pearson, Secretary
Judy Pfau, ES Teacher
Wendell Pratt, HS SLC
Amelia Pro, Administrative Assistant
Winifred Pryor, SL Secretary
Dina Raevsky, HS Teacher
Janice Randall, LBE/ES Teacher
Jane Redding, CTE Teacher
Larry Reedy, MS SLC
Elizabeth Rewolinski, ES Teacher Aide
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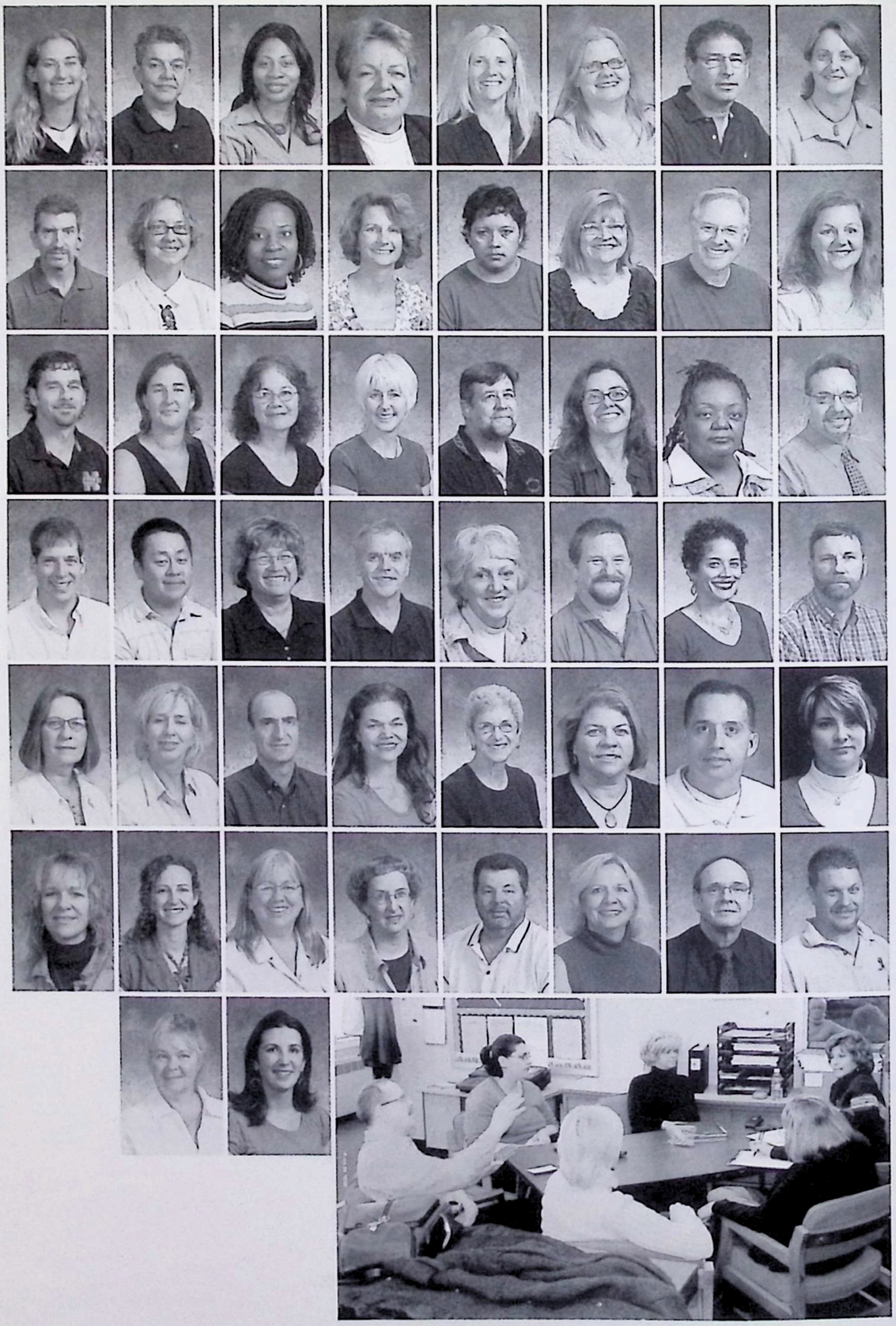
Judd Rexroth, MS SLC
Deborah Rice, Administrative Assistant
Julie Robbins, LBE/ES Clerical Aide



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Sallie Romano, ES Teacher Aide
Joyce Rose, Nurse
Patrick Rosenburg, HS Teacher
Richard Rosensteel, Building Service Worker
Celinda Rother, Agency Grant Writer
Paul Roult, CTE Teacher
Mari Ruiz, ES Teacher
K.C. Russell, Transition Coordinator
Amanda Saia, HS Teacher Aide
Laura Salak, HS Teacher
Dr. Richard Sarles, Mental Health Consultant
Kathleen Setzer, MS Teacher
Kelly Sicard, CTE Teacher Aide
Alexander Simmons, Webmaster
Dana Sipek, MS Teacher
Nicole Sizemore-Smith, ES Teacher Aide
April Smith, HS SLC
Barbara Smith, LBE/ES Teacher Aide
Dorothy Smith, ES Teacher
Lisa Smith, Social Worker
Wayne Smith, Housekeeping Supervisor
Marjorie Sonnenstrahl, HS Adjustment Teacher
Terry Spesick, Supply Officer
Patrick Squire, HS SLC
Linda Stoltz, SLC Supervisor
Lorraine Stoltz, CTE Teacher
Agnes Strakonsky, Housekeeping
Shelby Stuart, HS Teacher
Jennifer Thomas, ES Teacher
William Thompson, SL Supervisor
Bonnie VanBuskirk, LBE/ES Teacher
Nancy Verdier, Transition Coordinator
Marcia Virte, Teacher Specialist/Instructional
Donna Vogeler, Student Database Manager
Timothy Vogeler, Checkers Coordinator
Julius Vold, MS Teacher
Christopher vonGarrel, HS SLC
Regina Wade, Family Ed Teacher
Claudine Wanzer-Fehr, MS SLC
Robin Weinrich, Nurse
Jeff White, MS Teacher
Evelyn Wiggins, HS SLC
Yolanda Wilson, Dietary
Cheri Winnings, MS Clerical Aide
Denise Wolfer, Fiscal Clerk
Eric Woods, HS SLC
Gayle Woodyard, ES SLC
Jeanette Zarembka, MS Teacher
Ryan Zarembka, HS Teacher

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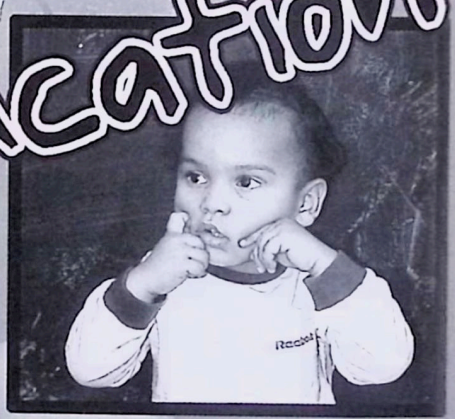
Stephen Allison, Maintenance Chief
Joseph Anthony, Deputy Chief Operating Officer
Sajjad Aziz, School Doctor
Christina Bailey, Nurse
Gussie Belisario, Communication Specialist
Brent Bowers, Stationary Engineer
Terri Boyer, Assistant Personnel Director
Donna Brandt, HS SLC
Debra Brinker, Business Services Manager
Brian Brown, Housekeeping
Colette Cabral, ES Teacher Aide
Cathy Capino, Dietary
Michael Chappelle, HS SLC
Kathleen Charles, Agency Buyer
Francis Cooney, HS SLC
Anny Currin, Executive Associate
Jeffrey Deja, HS SLC
Avis DuPree, ES SLC
Sedrick Dwyer, Computer Network Specialist
Gay Fout, Secretary
David Gardner, Fiscal Officer
Anglique Geffen, HS Teacher
Bonita Goodwin, Dietary
Robert Green, Maintenance Mechanic
Donald Hall, Personnel Associate
Daniel Hicks, Personnel Associate
Scott Hughes, Computer Network Specialist
David Inouye, Computer Network Specialist
Scott Johnson, LBE/ES Teacher Aide
David Jones, Electrician
Yvonne Lease, Secretary
Thomas LeQuire, Maintenance Supervisor
David Main, Dietary Supervisor
James McKenen, Stationary Engineer
Susan Morgan, Dietary
Scott Perkins, MS SLC
Gary Phillips, HS SLC
Dr. Susan ReVeal-Ottone, Director of Communication Services
Paul Ritenour, Data Processing Analyst
Carl Robin, Curator of Hessian Barracks
Nathaniel Rollins, Housekeeping
Adrienne Rubenstein, HS Teacher
Dorothy Rust, LBE/ES Teacher
Sara Ryan, Communication Specialist
Herbert Scott, Dietary
Kay Spriggs, Personnel Associate
Cynthia Stieffenhofer, LBE/ES Teacher
Kevin Strachan, HS Assistant Principal
Gary Strakonsky, Maintenance Mechanic
Linda Stull, Administrative Assistant
Ronnie Taylor, LBE/ES Teacher Aide
Steve Thomas, Dietary
Jacqueline Tota, Nurse
Troy Towers, HS SLC
Sarah Treese, Athletic Trainer
Karen Tushek, Occupational Therapist
Eric Unverzagt, Maintenance Mechanic
Robert Vaughn, Housekeeping
Michelle Vigliotti, LBE/ES Teacher Aide
Dianne Ward, Office Clerk
Wayne Wars, Housekeeping
Valerie Winn, Family Ed Teacher Aide

Family Education



Infants

Laine Elliott-Mendelsohn
Zaylee Garner-Taylor
Ian Guettler
Zandis Mansfield
Mia Montoya
Darius Zarembka

Not Pictured
Daniel Jakubowyc

Toddlers

Ethan Guettler
Ethan Miller
Elijah Needs

Not Pictured
Elijah Lassen

PreSchoolers

Zora Elliott-Mendelsohn
Ciara Luttrell
Zion Ortiz
Andre Pellicer
Jada Zarembka

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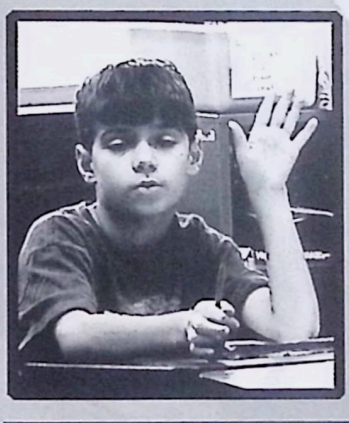
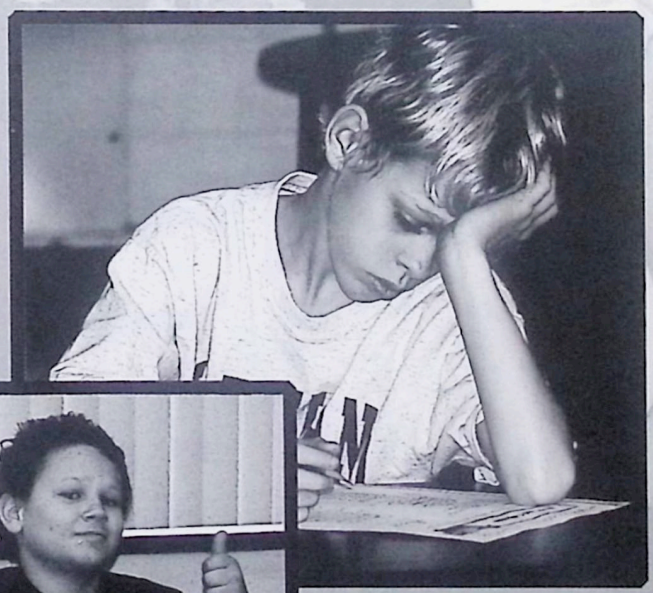
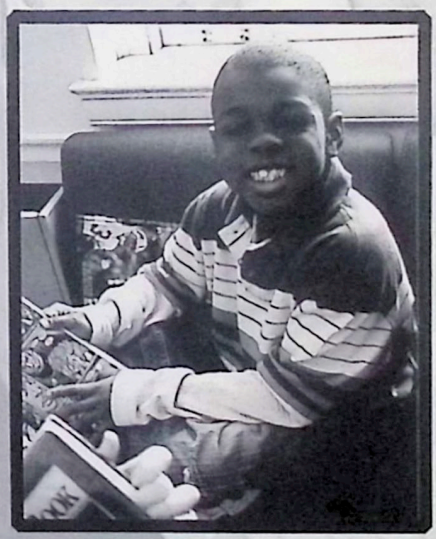
Elementary

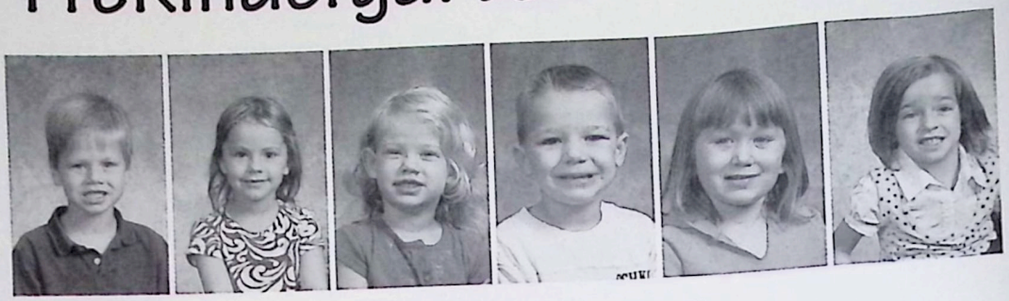


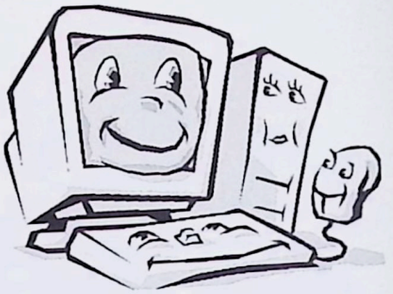




PreKindergarten

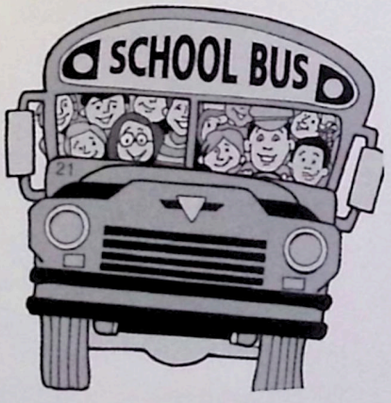
Austin Baker
Jalina Dietz
Megan Montoya
Skyler Renfrew
Crystal Salit
Erica Smith





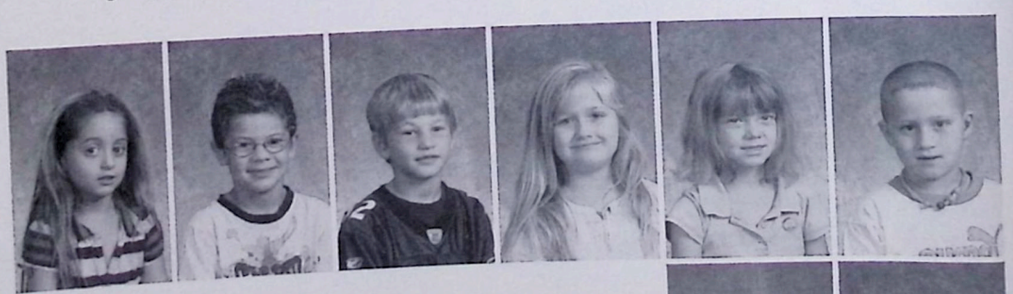
Kindergarten

Abigail DeSantos
Crystal Hirsch
Priscilla Needs
Taria Pellicer
Kendre White



First Grade

Lily DeSimone
Rory Dietz
Rory Lewis
Meghan Luebehusen
Brigitta Luttrell
Brody McAfee



Marisa Montoya
Cassidy Perry

Second Grade

Payne Frankowiak
Jazob Monroe-Caldwell
Brady Perry
Justin Quiles
Freya Seremeth
Rose Viola Shephard

Third Grade

Juliana Bahan
Brooke Bonheyo
Kylie Frelich
Danielle Frick
Quincy Johnson
Gillian Lawrence

Karita Lewis
Kaela Luttrell
Egan Seremeth
Isabella Walker
Kaitlyn Weeks
Anna Wood-Jacobowitz

Fourth Grade

David Bahan
Blake Brewer
Sayre Huddleston
Austin Latin
Maverick Obermiller
Hakeem Schiller

Rex Sean Shephard
Jared Stoner
Daren Tharpe
Eve Wood-Jacobowitz

Fifth Grade

Carey Ballard
Kratt Brown
Joseph Hoffman
Marika Lewis
Tessa Lewis
William Millios

Alexa Paulay-Simmons
Chaz Seremeth
Brett Sonnenstrahl
Tarik Wallace

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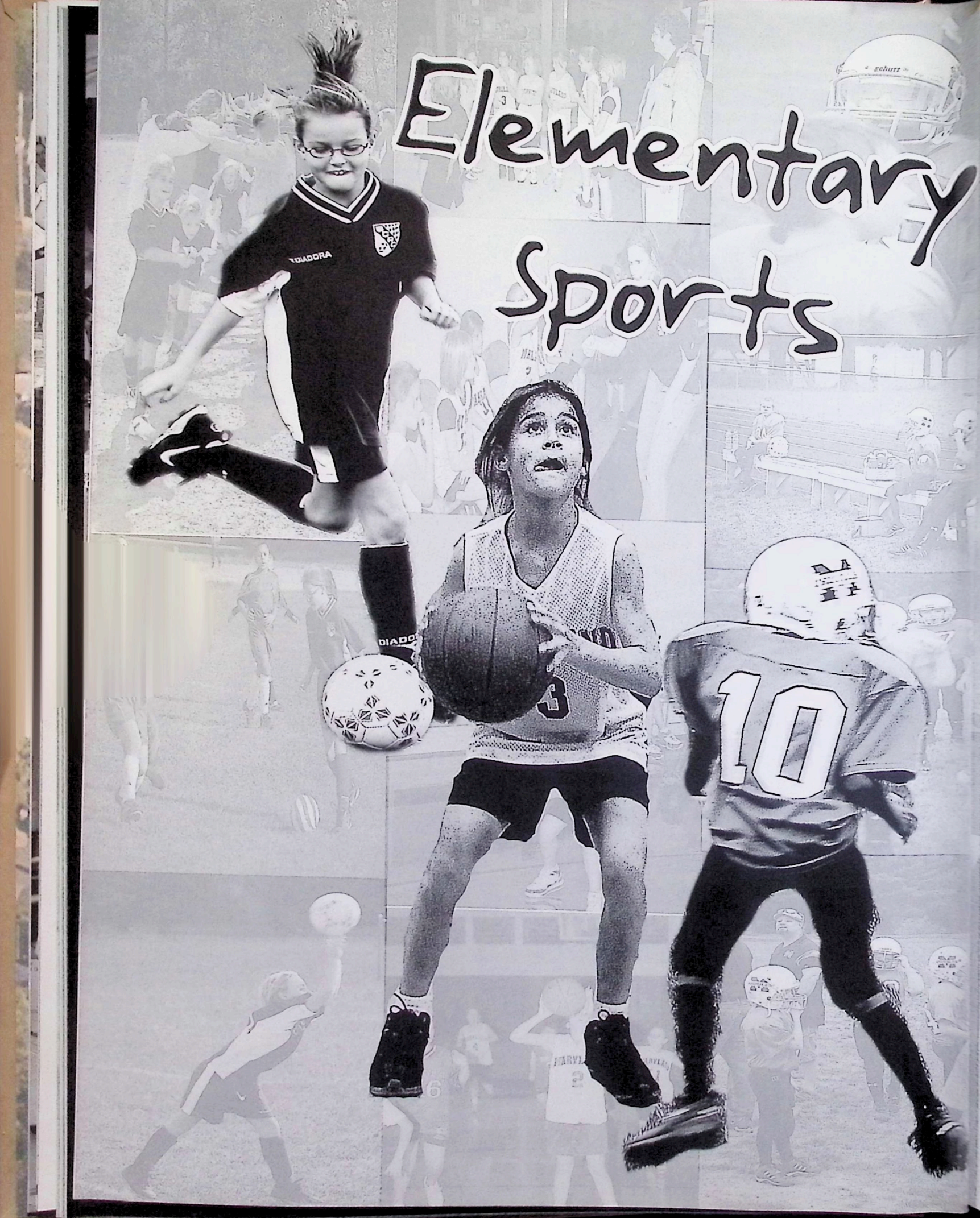
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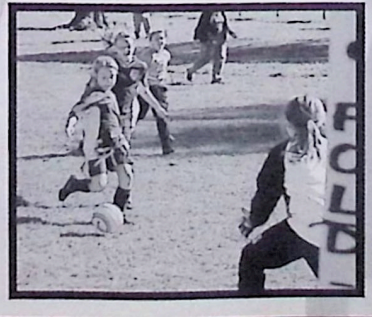
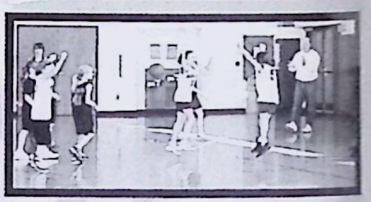
Elementary Soccer

From L to R: Coach Jerry Bonheyo, Anna Wood-Jacobowitz, Brooke Bonheyo, Isabella Walker , Karita Lewis, Eve Wood-Jacobowitz, Freya Seremeth, Kaitlyn Weeks, Kaela Luttrell, Asst. Coach Lynn Jacobowitz



Girls U-10 Basketball



Back Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Lynn Jacobowitz, Asst. Coach Kevin Lawrence, Coach Risa Lewis
Middle Row from L to R: Anna Wood-Jacobowitz, Juliana Bahan, Gilligan Lewis , Brooke Bonheyo, Kaitlyn Weeks
Front Row from L to R: Karita Lewis, Eve Wood-Jacobowitz

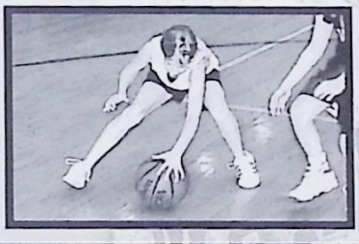
U/O CHAMPS!

Boys U-10 Basketball

Back Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Benjamin Bahan, Coach Spike Johnson, Asst. Coach Rosemary Latin
Middle Row from L to R: Jake Bortoletto, Davy Bahan, Austin Latin, Maverick Obermiller
Front Row from L to R: Egan Seremeth, Blake Brewer, Quincy Jones

Girls U-12 Basketball

Back Row From L to R: Coach Gregg McConville, Emily DeSimone, Sierra McConville, Allyson Bortoletto, Asst. Coach Dyan Newman
Front Row From L to R: Tessa Lewis, Tayla Newman, Alexa Paulay-Simmons

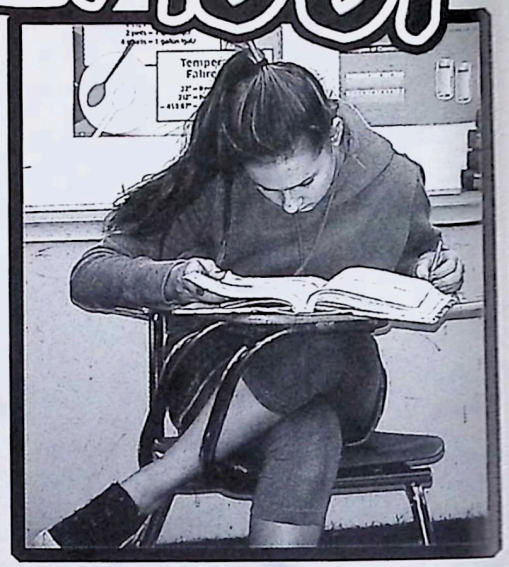


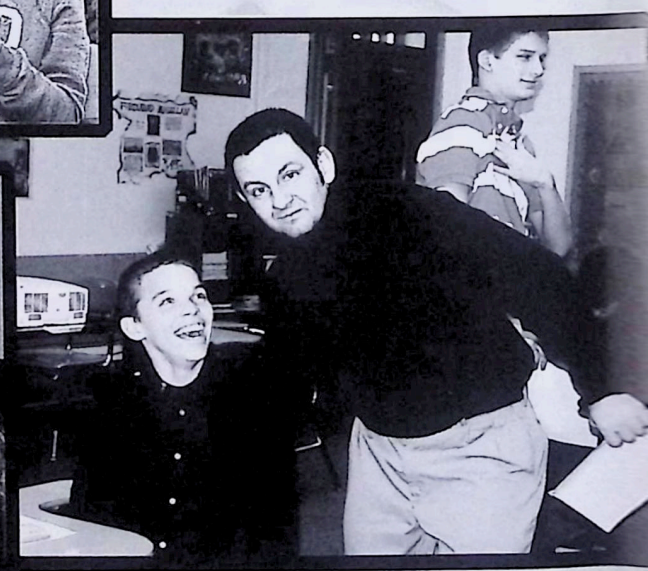
U12 CHAMPS!

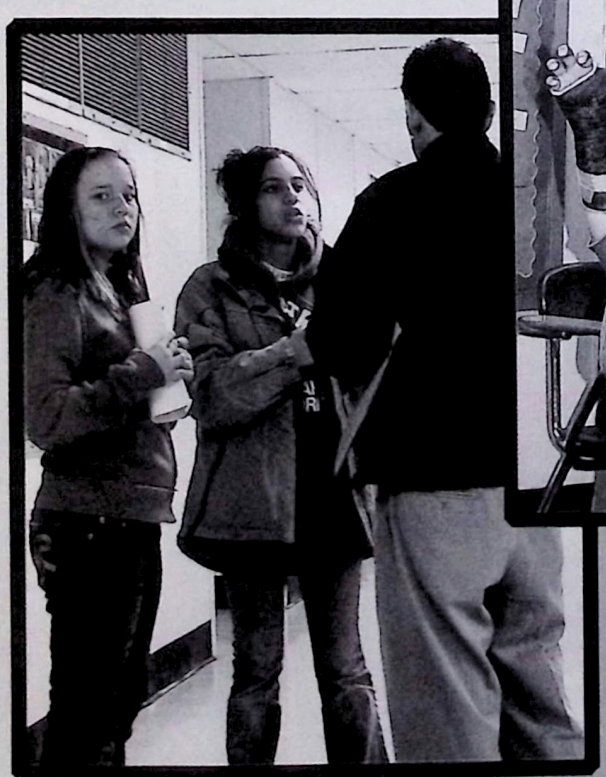
Boys U-12 Basketball

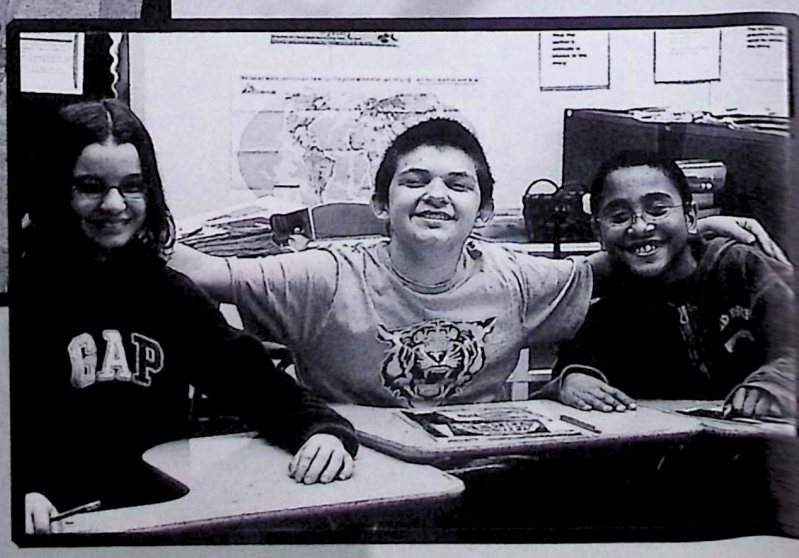
Back Row From L to R: Asst. Coach Rick Ballard, Chaz Seremeth, Billy Millios, Joey Hoffman, Coach Ray Brooks
Front Row From L to R: Blake Brewer, Carey Ballard, James Brooks, Brett Sonnenstrahl

Middle School









Sixth Grade

Kristen Ames
Jake Bonheyo
Allyson Bortoletto
Lance Brewer
Zachary Bridgett
Dzyanis Brodau

James Brooks
Madison Craig
Emily DeSimone
Jad Gore
Jerrod Grill
Jake Grindstaff

Britney Little
Sierra McConville
Jehanne McCullough
Elijah Needs
Corey Rosko

Read to explore your world.
Read to plan for your future.
Read to visit new places.
Read to create great things.
Read to make a good decision.
Read to have fun.
Read to exercise your mind.
Read to keep in touch.
Read because you can!

Seventh Grade

Austin Cerasoli
Darrius Doe
Kali Doubledee
Lauren Goldberg
Miriam Goldberg
DanJohn Kerchner

Dalton Kramer
Evan Kurth
Tarja Lewis
Cody Paulay-Simmons
Corbin Register
Tina Robinson

Ethan Sonnenstrahl
Taran Taylor

Eighth Grade

Zack Barron
Andrew Biskupiak
Kyle Blakely
Paige Brewer
Kaliah Doe
Derek Frank

Ivana Genievsky
Raquel Grindstaff
Carol Hirsch
Elizabeth Horowitz
Zachary Israel
Asher Kirschbaum

Tyler Lewis
Michaelson Liddle
Heather Mansfield-Hom
Katherine Millios
Malik Morris
Janna Oshman

Liv Polzin
Augusta Seremeth
James Steingieser
Jesse Steingieser
Kyle Tharpe
LeeAnn Wadsworth

Grant Whittaker

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OLD NAVY
ALL YOU CAN EAT
SNOW CRAB LEG
SEAFOOD BUFF
NO STOPPING STANDING OR PARKING
OLD NAVY

Middle School Clubs

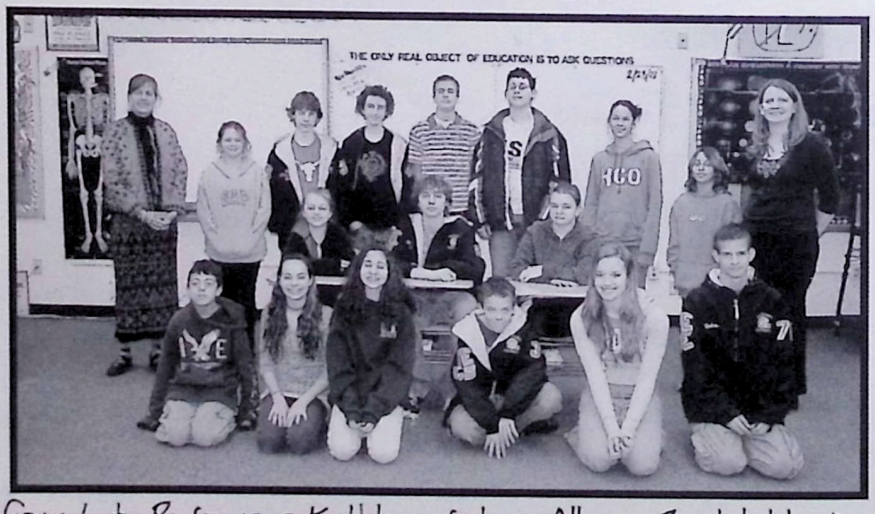
Writing Club

Back Row from L to R: Sponsor Dana Sipek, Mia Goldberg, Tarja Lewis, Kali Doubledee, Jehanne McCullough, Sponsor Andrea Feldman
Front Row from L to R: Cody Paulay-Simmons, Jerrod Grill, Ethan Sonnenstrahl

A+ Reading Rally

From L to R: Sponsor Cathy Viets, Katherine Millios, Kali Doubledee, Jehanne McCullough, Asher Kirschbaum, Ethan Sonnenstrahl, Sponsor Andrea Feldman

Jr. SBG



Back Row from L to R: Sponsor Kathleen Setzer, Allyson Bortoletto, Derek Frank, Grant Whitaker, Jesse Steingieser, Zachary Israel, Janna Oshman, Emily DeSimone, Sponsor Jeannette Zarembka
Middle Row From L to R: Sierra McConville, Tyler Lewis, Raquel Grindstaff
Front Row from L to R: Zachary Bridgett, Ivana Genievsky, Heather Mansfield-Hom, Zack Barron, CJ Hirsch, DanJohn Kerchner
Missing: James Steingieser, Augusta Seremeth, and Dalton Kramer

Adventure Club

Back Row from L to R: Sponsor Eric Mansfield, Evan Kurth, Michaelson Liddle, Zack Barron, Noelle Robinson, Sponsor Mike Kent
Front Row from L to R: Corbin Register, Betsy Horowitz, Lauren Goldberg, Darrius Doe, Taran Taylor
Missing: Dalton Kramer

Video Club

From L to R: Katherine Millios, Kaliah Doe, Liv Polzin, Sponsor Martin O'Brien, Kyle Blakely, Kyle Tharpe, Andrew Biskupiak

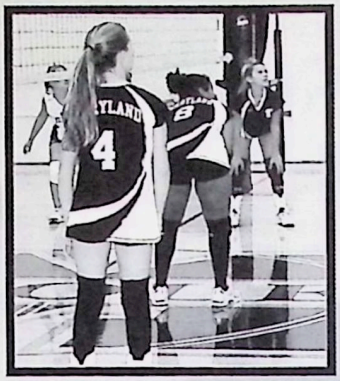
Chess Club

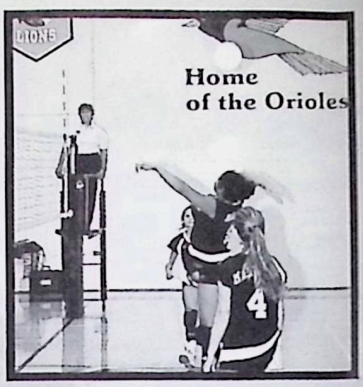
Space Camp

From L to R: Sponsor Dana Sipek, Noelle Robinson, Kali Doubledee, Mia Goldberg, Ethan Sonnenstrahl, Austin Cerasoli

Back Row from L to R: Dzyanis Broday, Paige Brewer, Leeann Wadsworth, Asher Kirschbaum, Malik Morris, Sponsor Julius Vold
Middle Row: Jad Gore, Elijah Needs, Austin Cerasoli
Front Row from L to R: James Brooks, Brittney Little, Kirsten Ames, Lance Brewer, Jake Grindstaff, Jake Bonheyo
Missing: Madison Craig and Corey Rosko

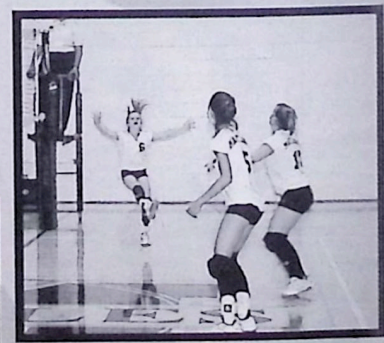
Middle School Varsity Volleyball





Back Row from L to R: Coach Nancy Lewis, Paige Brewer, Manager Andrew Biskupiak, Asst. Coach Cheryl Collier
Middle Row from L to R: Janna Oshman, Ivana Genievsky, Tarja Lewis, Heather Mansfield-Hom, Miriam Goldberg
Front Row from L to R: Raquel Grindstaff, Lauren Goldberg, Kaliah Doe, Augusta Seremeth, Liv Polzin

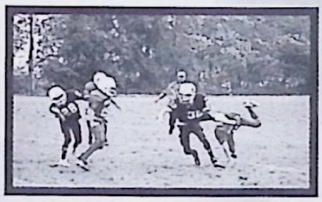
Middle School JV Volleyball

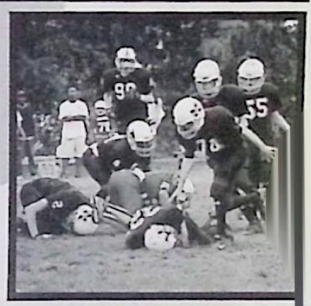


Back Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Terri Dietz, Emily DeSimone, Miriam Goldberg, Raquel Grindstaff, Manager Andrew Biskupiak, Lauren Goldberg, Corbin Register, Sierra McConville, Coach Rosemary Latin
Front Row from L to R: Elizabeth Horowitz, Paige Brewer, Ivana Genievsky, Janna Oshman, Liv Polzin

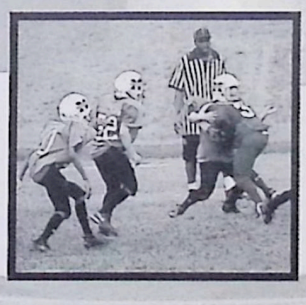
Middle School Varsity Football

Back Row from L to R: Coach Jeff Lewis, Asst. Coach Lindsey Heisey
Middle Row from L to R: Carroll Barnes, Taran Taylor, Jake Bonheyo, Malik Morris, Dan John Kerchner, Austin Cerasoli, Cody Simmons, Darrius Doe
Front Row from L to R: Asher Kirschbaum, Kyle Tharpe, Grant Whitaker, James Steingieser, Derek Frank, Jesse Steingieser, Tyler Lewis, Zack Barron, Michaelson Liddle

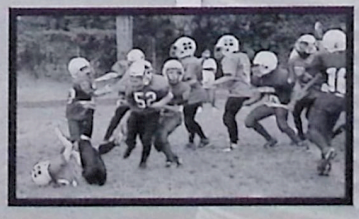




Middle School JV Football



Back Row from L to R: Coach Jimmy Gore
3rd Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Joseph Oberwiller, Asst. Coach Benjamin Bahan, William Millios, Daren Tharpe, Hakeem Schiller, Asst. Coach Tim Taylor, Asst. Coach Ray Brooks
2nd Row from L to R: Egan Seremeth, Quincy Jones, Juliana Bahan, Tarik Wallace, Jerrod Grill, Maverick Oberwiller, Chaz Seremeth
Front Row from L to R: Brett Sonnenstrahl, Jad Gore, David Bahan, Carey Ballard, Jake Bortoletto, Kraft Brown, Corey Rosko, Jake Grindstaff



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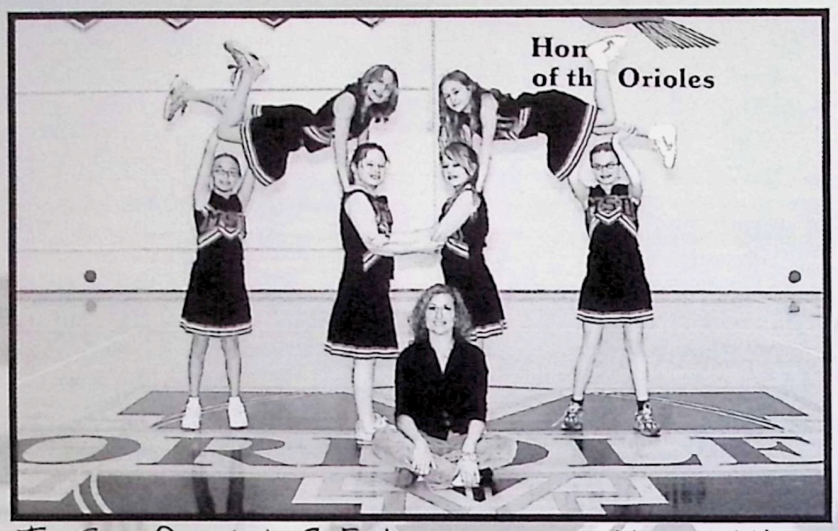
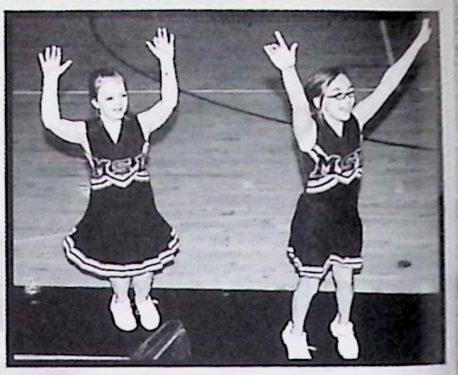
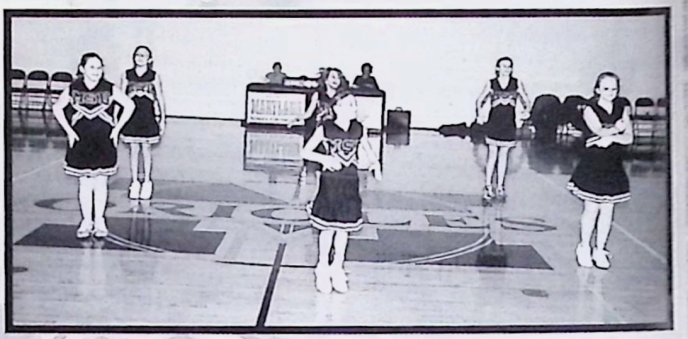
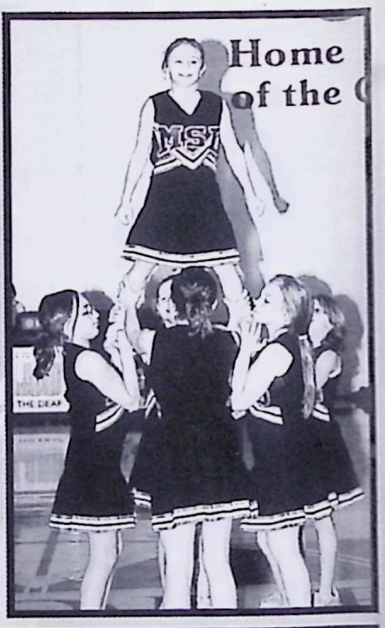




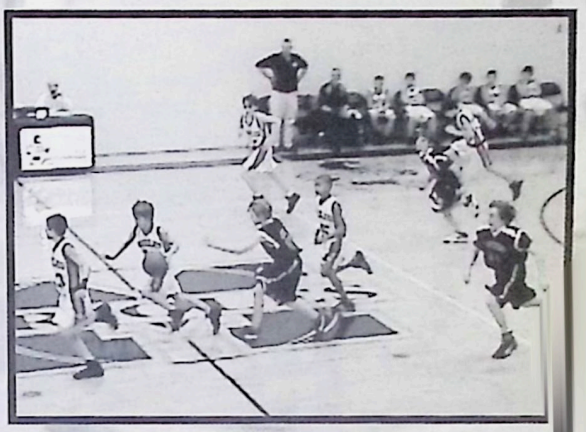


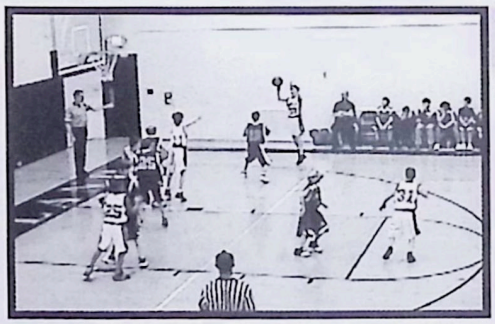
Top Row from L to R: Emily DeSimone, Brittney Little
Middle Row from L to R: Kali Doubledee, Allyson Bortoletto, Sierra McConville, Jeanne McCullough
Bottom Row: Coach Cheri Winnings

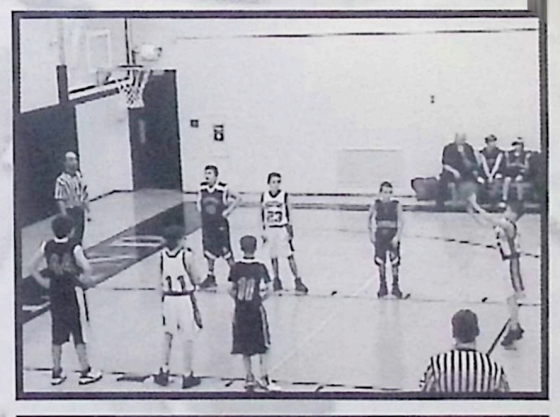


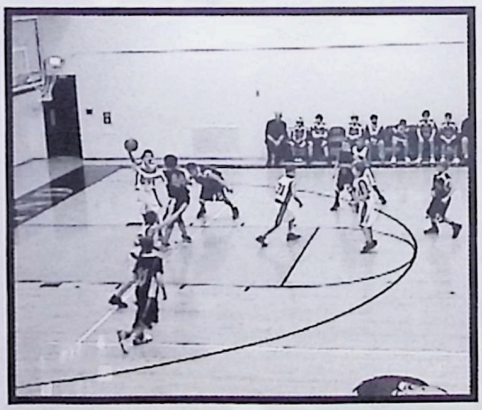
Middle School JV Boys Basketball

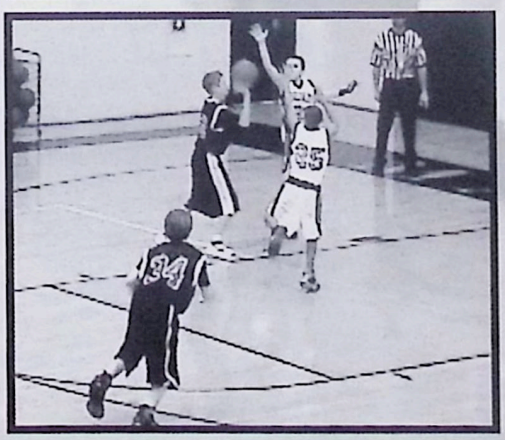
From L to R: Coach Johnston Grindstaff, Austin Cerasoli, Corey Rosko, Ethan Sonnenstrahl, Cody Paulay-Simmons, Dalton Kramer, Evan Kurth, Jad Gore, Darrius Doe, Jake Bonheyo, Jake Grindstaff, Asst. Coach Lee Kramer





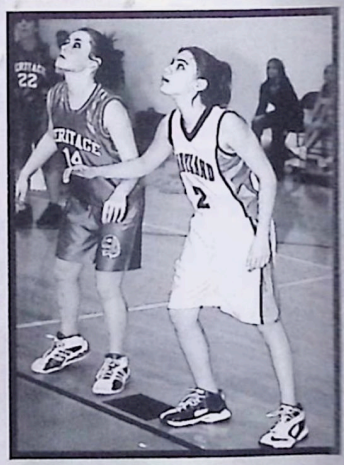




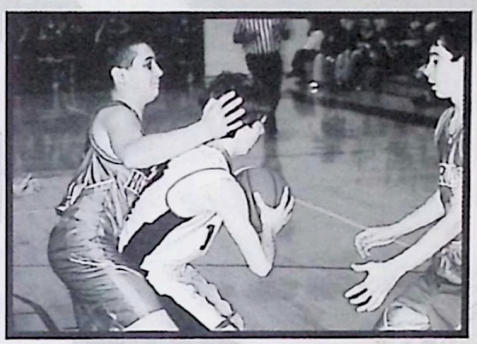


Middle School Varsity Girls Basketball

Back Row: Coach Jeff Lewis
Middle Row from L to R: Manager Leann Wadsworth, Asst. Coach Michelle Viglotti, Tarja Lewis, Lauren Goldberg, Corbin Register, Mia Goldberg, Asst. coach Lindsey Heisey
Front Row from L to R: CJ Hirsch, Augusta Seremeth, Liv Polzin, Raquel Grindstaff



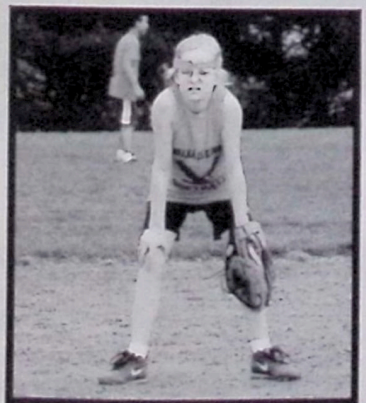
Middle School Varsity Boys Basketball



Back Row from L to R: Andrew Biskupiak, Asher Kirschbaum, DJ Kerchner, Kyle Tharpe, Michaelson Liddle, Jesse Steingieser, James Steingieser, Tyler Lewis, Derek Frank, Zack Barron
Front Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Jeff Lewis, Coach Lindsey Heisey

U-12 Softball

Back Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Alex Simmons, Asst. Coach Ronna Silverstein, Coach Robert Lewis
Front Row from L to R: Lauren Goldberg, Allyson Bortoletto, Tayla Newman, Alexa Simmons, Marika Lewis, Emily DeSimone, Mia Goldberg, Sierra McConville, Jehanne McCullough, Tarja Lewis
Missing: Kali Doubledee



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Kane Beatty
Todd Bonheyo
Shane Brewer
Tiffany Bridgett
Brianna Buie
Marleina Burgos

Rosetta Campanaro
Jourdan Carrington
Derek Cerasoli
Jonathan Clapp
Joshua Cogan
Tilesha Cole

Michael DeVito
Misty Skye Dreumont
DeAndre Gaskins
Nicole Gleicher
Myles Goldberg
Chantaya Green

Charles Harding
Aleasha Harrington
Shawn Harrington
Nadasha Harvey
Michael Haywood
Christy Hediger

Ethan Kramer
Leighason Liddle

Jayme Lorraine
Dan Mabashov
Grace McAllister
Nicholas McClain
Gregg McConville, Jr.
Everd Morales

Chelsea Morris
Catherine Nugent
Marquise Pleasant
Todd Rewolinski
Devin Rich
Rachael Richart

Courtney Rideout
Audrey Robinson
Racquel Roult
Chetana Senadhira
Gabrielle Smith
Claire Tucker

Chad Unger
Bethany Weiner
Justin Wiener

Jodi Withrow
Jonathan Withrow
Josiah Withrow

Back Row from L to R: Vice President Todd Bonheyo, Treasurer Chelsea Morris, Secretary Racquel Roult, President Christy Hediger
Front Row from L to R: Sergeant Myles Goldberg, Sergeant Bethany Weiner

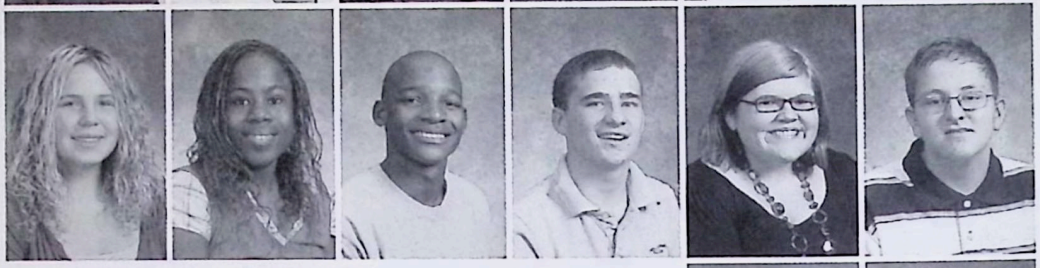
Class Color:
Purple and White

Not Pictured
Joshua Withrow

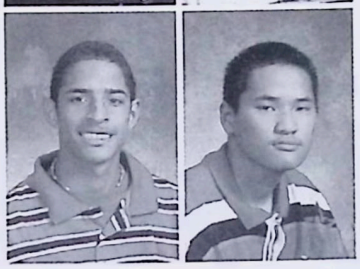
Sophomores

Roy Barron
DeShawna Brown
Isaac Cline
Jovanie Flores
Branden Foreman
Brittany Frank

Hillary Frankowiak
Fortia Gantt
Joshua Harper
Tyler Heisey
Corinna Hill
Andrew Jarman



Michael Knight
Vincent Kong



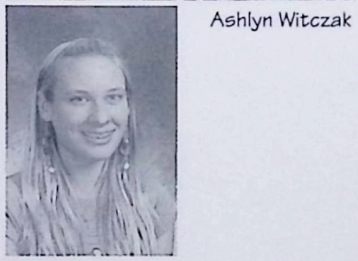
Class Color: Yellow and Black

Maxwell Latin
Tandy Lewis
Michael Maddox
Michelle Mansfield-Hom

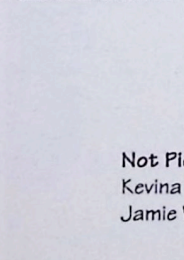
De'Jon McCutcheon
William McFeeley
Chase Nolan
Nicholas Remsburg

Shaina Steingieser
Trista Taylor
Micah Traurig

Shayna Rose Unger
Karla Wiener



Ashlyn Witczak



Back Row from L to R: President Shayna Unger, Vice President Michelle Mansfield-Hom, Secretary Corinna Hill, Treasurer Brittany L. Frank
Front Row from L to R: Sergeant Trista Taylor, Sergeant Isaac Cline

Not Pictured
Kevina Kerchner
Jamie Withrow

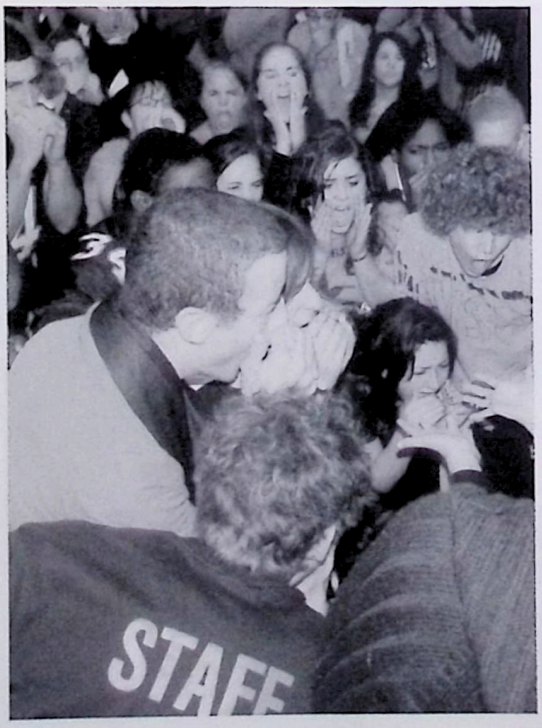
Juniors

Crystal Arbaugh
Joshua Bailey
Corey Balzer
Lauren Benedict
Danielle Berrigan
Daniel Bitzel
Ryan Bonheyo

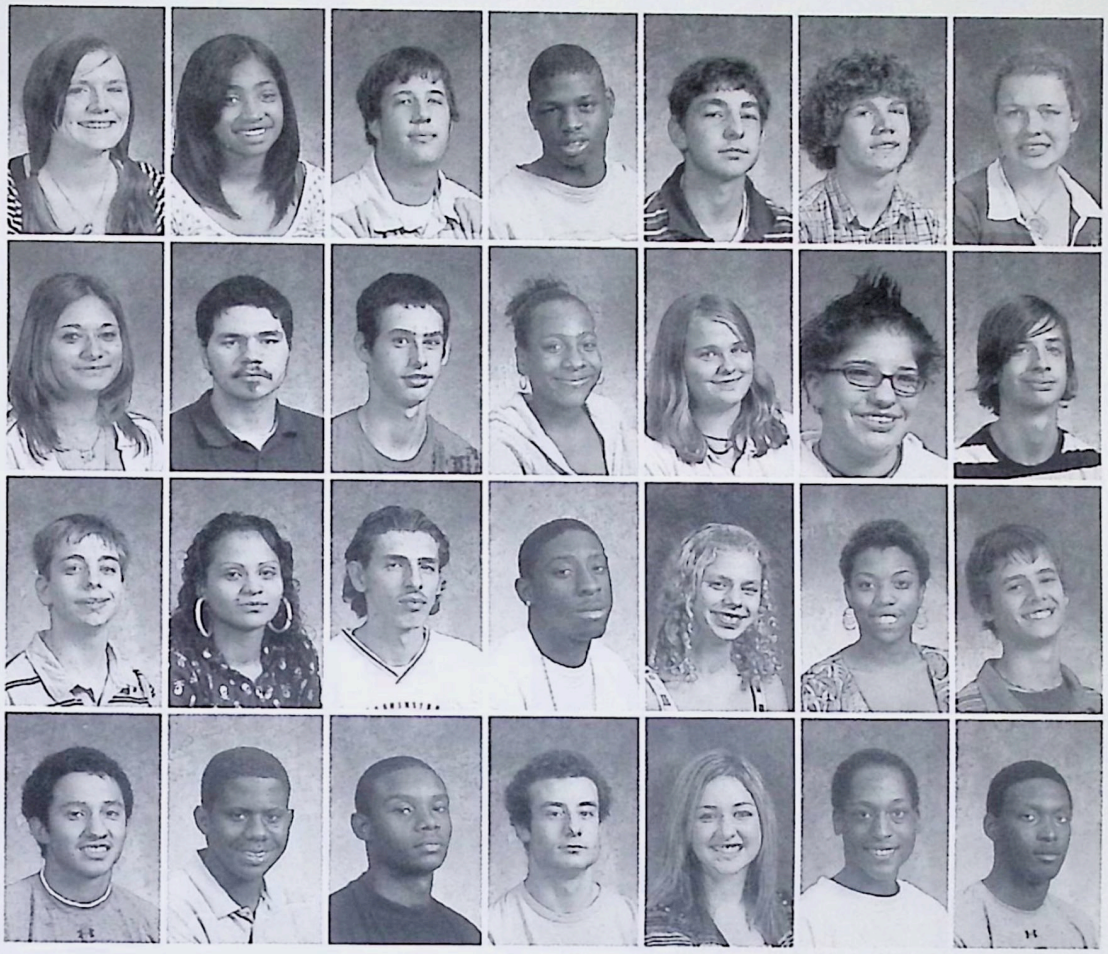
Reina Bravo
Vanishe Buchanan
Brett Ches
Donnell Collins, Jr.
Jakia Crews
Mark Cross
Amelia Dall

Tyler Dilks
Tia Duval
Wesley Francis
Chanel Gleicher
Jarvis Grindstaff
Clayton Grossinger
Ellen Hardesty

Nicholas Harrington
Danielle Harris
Jessica Israel
Casey Johnson
DeAngelo Jones
Lusan Kamara
Kelly Kuhna



Class Color: Blue and White



Stephanie Kurth
Chenae Laldee
Alex Larson
Wade Lawson
Michael Mabashov
Clayton McMillan
Caitlin Mickel

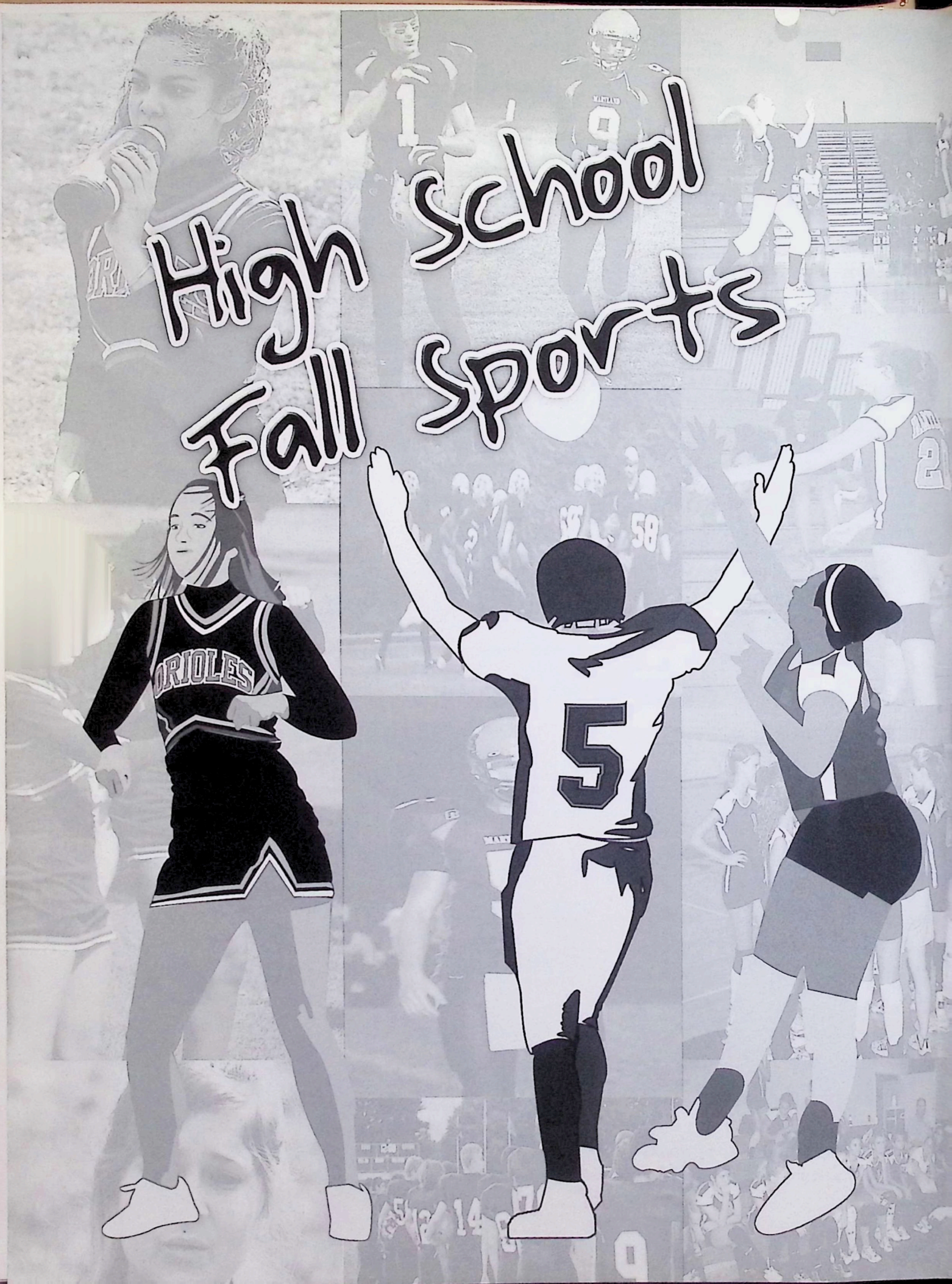
Paola Gabriela Munguia
Alexi Olson
Chad Oshman
Micasha Rahman
Jennifer Rand
Alyssa Romano
Flynn Rosko

Matthew Sachse
Debbie Salamanca
Emre Sen
Christopher Shaw
Rachella Shephard
Lauren Simmons
Garrett Sims

Joseph Solano
Kevin Sumpter
Donte Thomas
Michael Tota
Lauren Wahl
DeAndre White
Kaeshaun Wills

Not Pictured
Jessica Valente

Back Row From L to R: Treasurer Mark Cross, President Michael Tota, Vice President Lauren Wahl, Sergeant Tyler Dilks
Front Row from L to R: Secretary Chenae Ladlee, Sergeant Chris Shaw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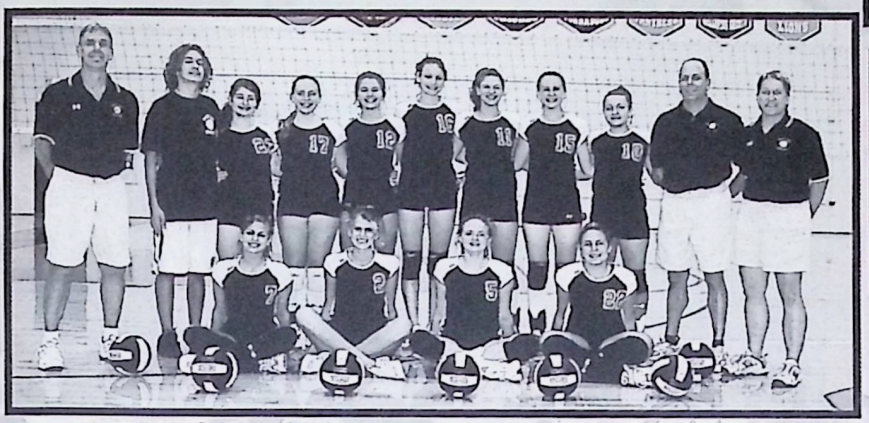
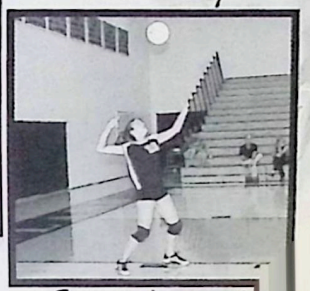


Back Row from L to R: Coach Ray Lehmann, Manager Jonathan Clapp, Bethany Weiner, Chelsea Morris, Claire Tucker, Leighason Liddle, Racquel Roult, Christy Hediger, Audrey Robinson, Asst. Coach Andy Unger, Asst. Coach Vicki Kitsembel
Front Row from L to R: Shayna Unger, Shaina Steingieser, Trista Taylor, Hillary Frankowiak
Absent: Tiffany Bridgett

Spike it hard, Christy!



Racquel, ace it

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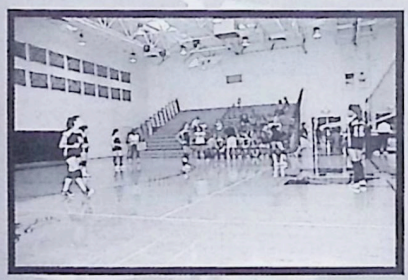
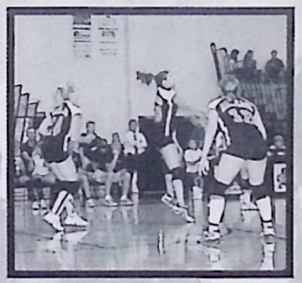
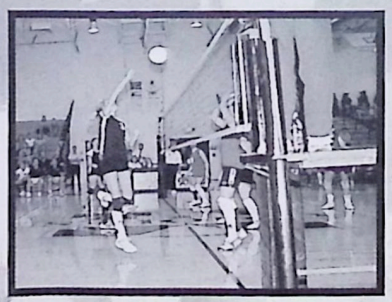
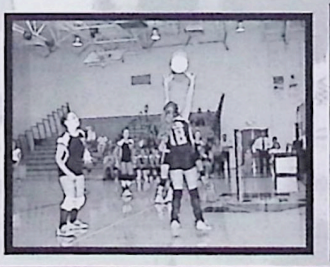




Let's see some spirit, girls!





Focus on the game, Shayna!

JV Fall Cheerleading

Shake it, Skye!

Less talking, more cheering, girls!

From L to R: Asst. Coach Cheri Winnings, Nicole Gleicher, Reina Bravo, Skye Dreumont, Karla Wiener, Coach Janice Randall

Our beloved coaches, Cherri and Janice

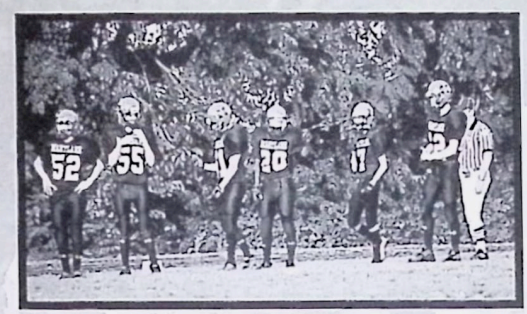
Rock on, Reina!

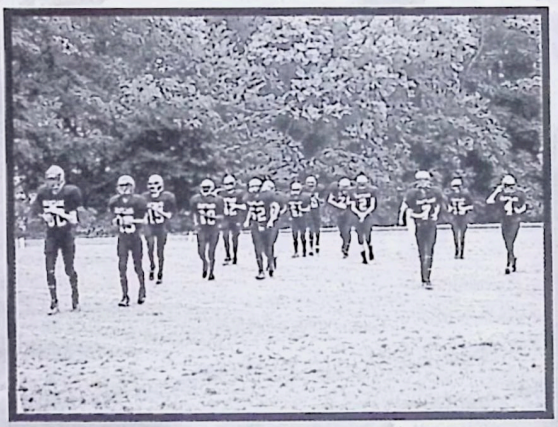
Karla, break time is over

Nicole, are y okay?

Jv Football

Todd B, drop and give me 15!





An Oriole Stampede!

Back Row from L to R: Brett Ches, Joshua Bailey, Chad Oshmo Todd Rewolinski, DeAndre Gaskins , Manager Jonathan Withrow, Asst. Coach Mike Kent
Middle Row from L to R: Coach Andy Bonheyo, Chris Shaw, Gregg McConville, Jarvis Grindstaff, Wesley Francis, Devin Rich , Derek Cerasoli, Asst. Coach Daniel Biskupiak
Front Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Jeff White, Joshua Withrow, Tyler Heisey, Shawn Harrington, Todd Bonheyo, Justin Wiener, Myles Goldberg

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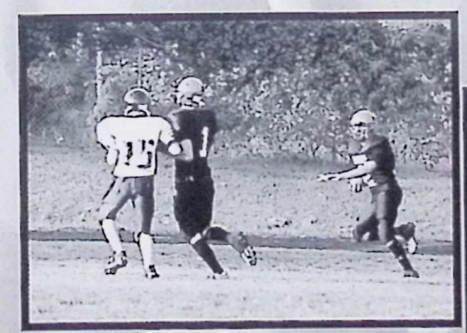
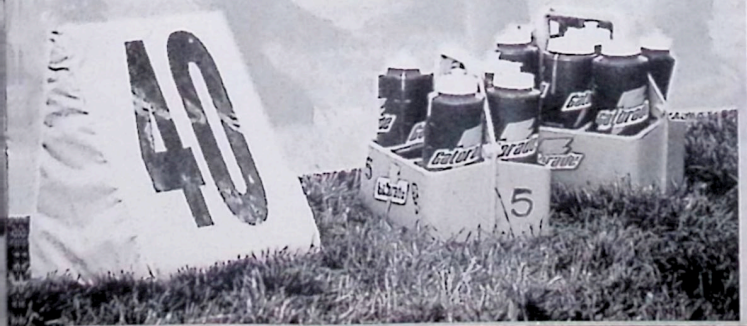
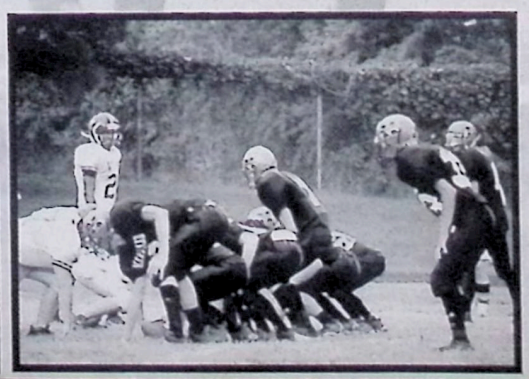


Todd R, go get us a touchdown!

Ty, you're going the wrong way!

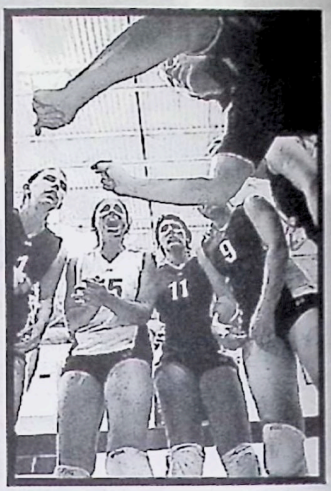


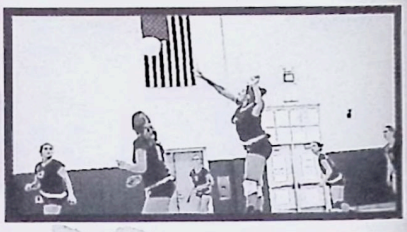


Varsity Volleyball

Back Row from L to R: Coach Vicki Kitsembel, Shayna Unger, Claire Tucker, Brittany L. Frank, Lauren Benedict, Tandy ewis, Danielle Berrigan, Jessica Israel, Shaina Steingieser, sst. Coach Andy Unger, Asst. Coach Ray Lehmann
ront Row from L to R: Andrea Amati, Brittany A. Frank, Manager Allison Weiner, Michelin Barron, Sabrina Roult

A beautiful block, Jessica!

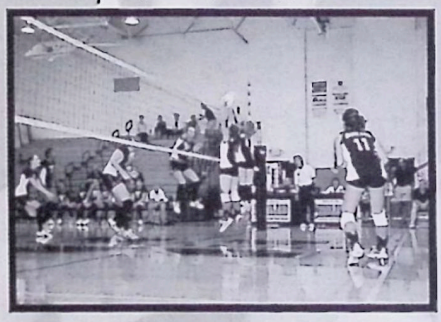




Watch out!

Spike it, Sabrina!

National Champions!



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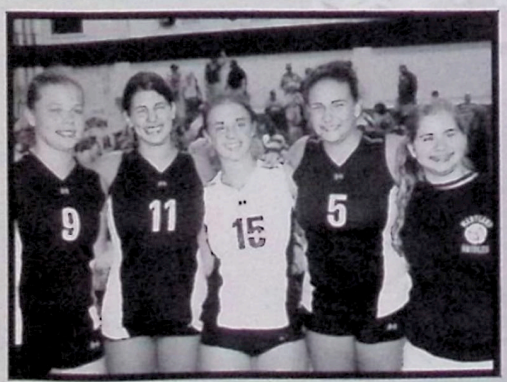
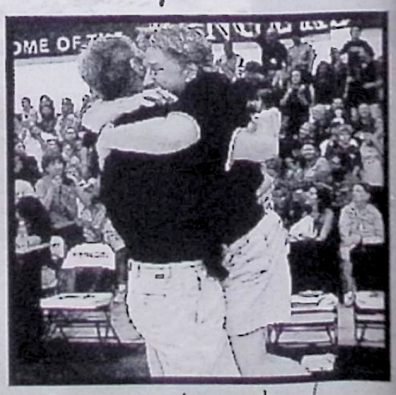
Spike Out & ESDAA & New Life Champions!



We'll miss you, seniors!

Spike Out IX Champions

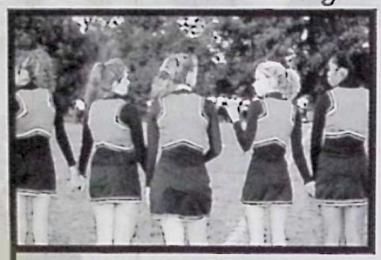


Our proud coaches!

Varsity Fall Cheerleading

Cheer like there is no tomorrow, girls!

From L to R: Asst. Coach Cheri Winnings, Emilia Nowalski, Chanel Gleicher, Celine Daze, Michelle Mansfield-Hom, Rachella Shephard, and Coach Janice Randall



It won't be the same without you both!

Is this some kind of a new stunt?

How can you get any straighter than this?

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Varsity Football

Back Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Ronnie Taylor, Wendall Pratt, Christopher Shaw, Tyler Heisey, Joshua Withrow, Joshua Bailey, Todd Bonheyo, Todd Rewolinski, Wesley Francis, Justin Wiener, Asst. Coach Mike Kent, Asst. Coach Danny Biskupiak

Middle Row from L to R: Coach Andy Bonheyo, Donte Thomas, Alexi Olson, Clayton Grossinger, Chad Oshman, Mark Cross, Shawn Harrington, Ryan Bonheyo, Corey Balzer, Kaeshaun Wills, Asst. Coach Jeff White

Front Row from L to R: Trainer Sarah Treese, Colin Hill, Rami Traurig, Brandon McMillan, Kevin Berrigan, Travis Oshman, Mark Korn, Joseph Solano, Manager Jonathan Withrow

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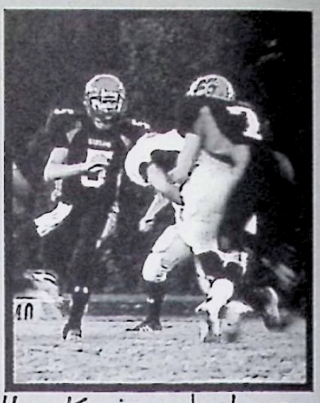
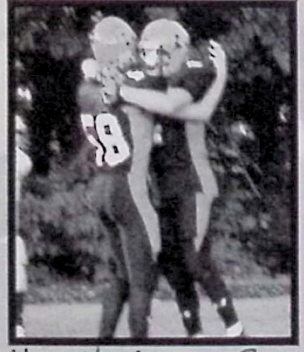


Um, Kevin, what are you doing?

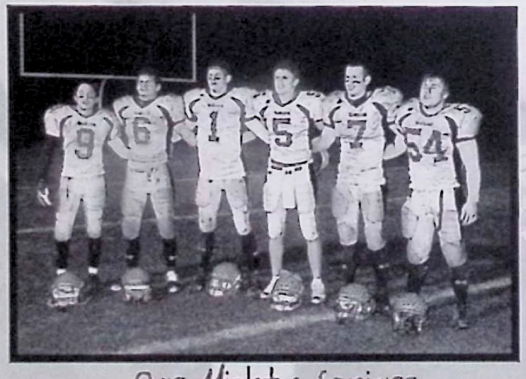
Andy's infamous grin.

Brandon, Danny is not a player in the game!

National Champions!



Hey Mark and Ryan, there is no hugging in football!



Our Mighty Seniors
(Missing: Rami Traurig & Alexi Olson)

Joseph, this is not nap time!

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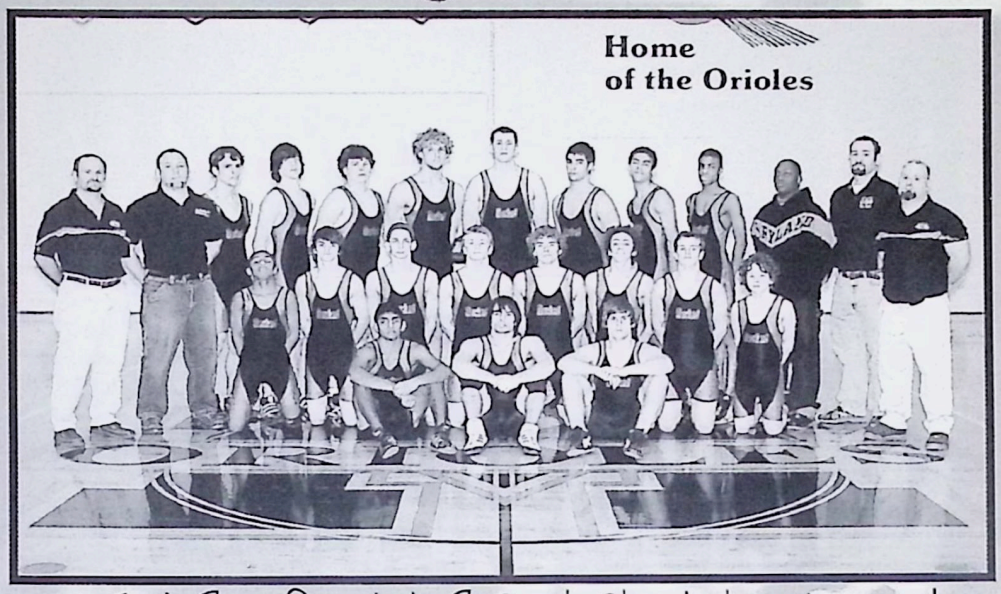
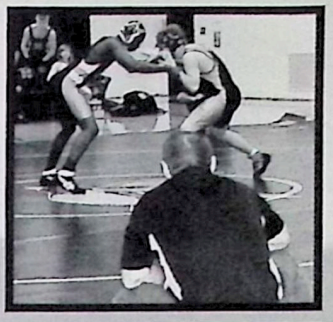
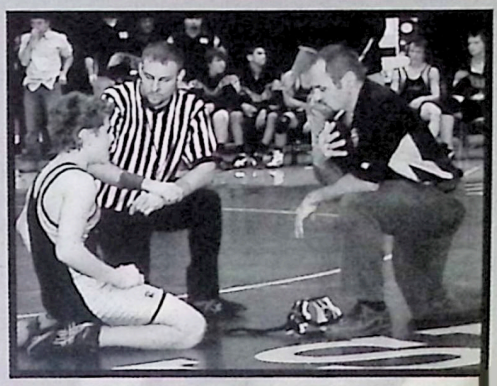
Varsity Wrestling



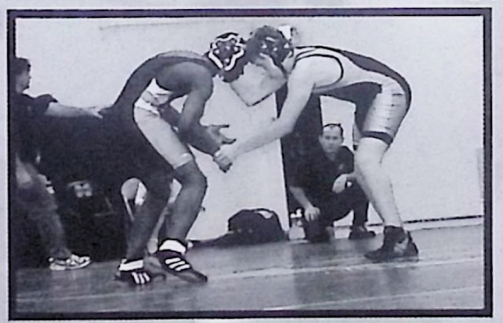
Back Row from L to R: Coach Christopher VonGarrel, Asst. Coach Eric Woods, Michael DeVito, Maxwell Latin, Joshua Bailey, Mark Cross, Tyler Dilks, Corey Balzer, Jourdan Carrington, Michael Haywood, Manager Branden Foreman, Asst. Coach John Jones, Asst. Coach Tim Taylor
Middle Row from L to R: Marquise Pleasant, Gregg McConville Jr., Brett Ches, Wesley Francis, Shane Brewer, Myles Goldberg, Justin Wiener, Taran Taylor
Front Row from L to R: Kelly Kuhna, Daniel Katz-Hernandez, Colin Hill

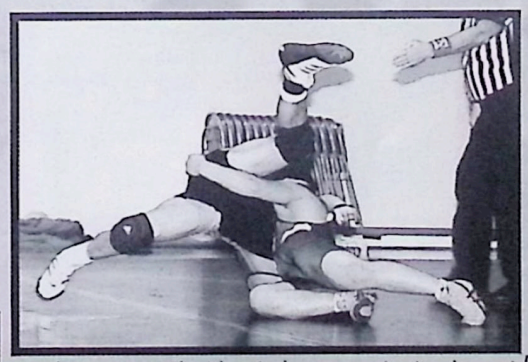




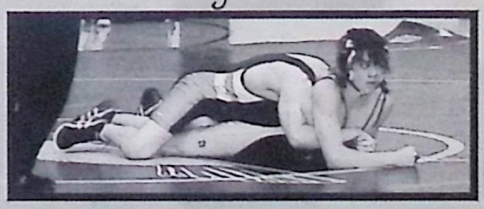
Breathe, JD, breathe.

Our tough Seniors!





Ouch, Daniel, that has got to hurt!



Don't give up, Gregg!

Save it for the match, boys!

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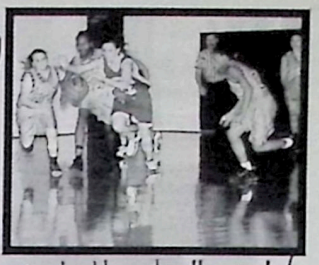
JV Girls Basketball

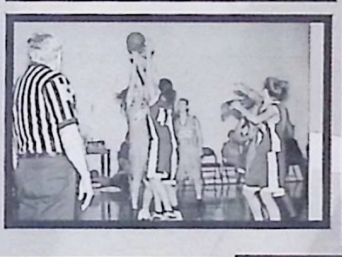
Back Row from L to R: Jennifer Rand, Reina Bravo, Tia Duval, Mieasha Rahman, Racquel Roult, Nadasha Harvey, Kevina Kerchner
Front Row from L to R: Manager Danielle Harris, Asst. Coach Scott Morrison, Coach Laura Lohmeyer, Manager Vanishe Buchanan

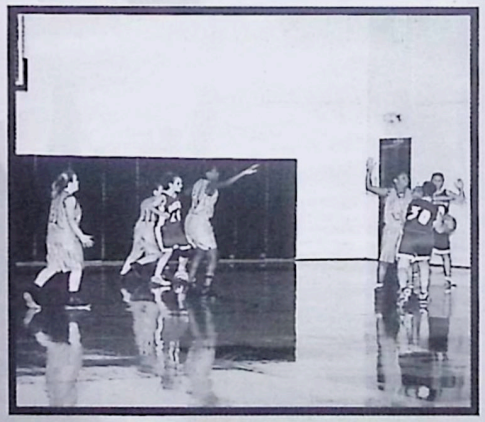


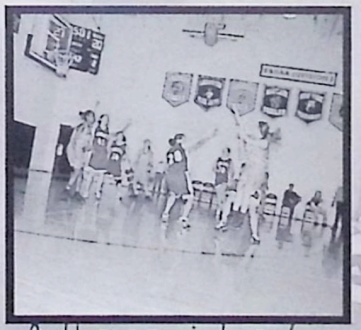
Get the ball, girls!

And... SWISH!

Run, Racquel, Run!

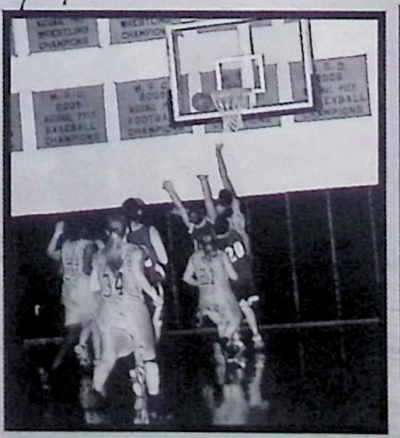




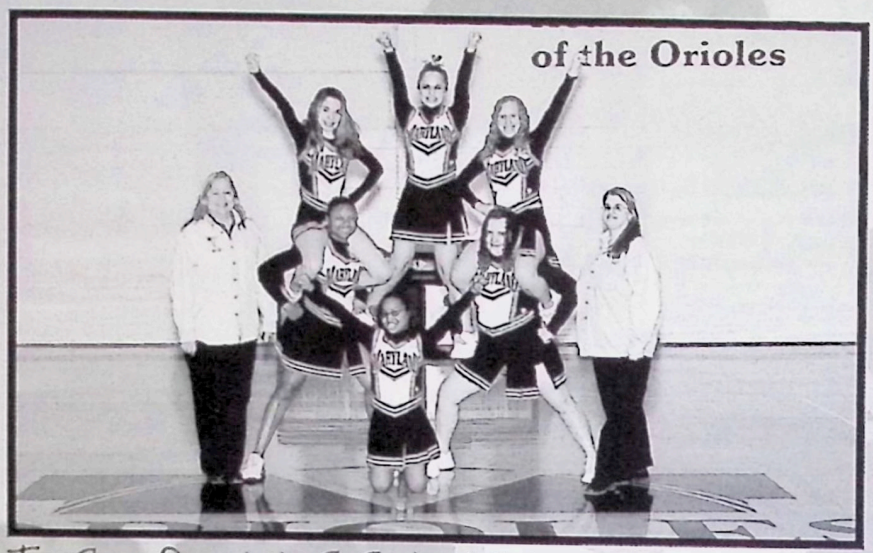


A three-pointer for you, Jennifer!

You can do it, Tia!

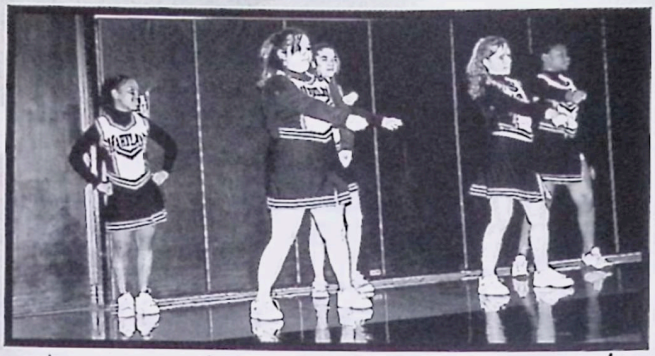


JV Winter Cheerleading

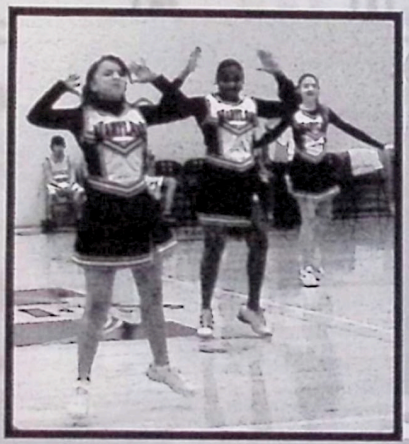


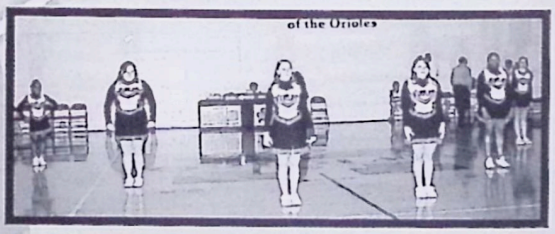
Top Row from L to R: Rachael Richart, Nicole Gleicher, Karla Wiener
Middle Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Janice Randall, Courtney Rideout, Misty Skye Dreumont, Coach Cynthia Stieffenhofer
Front Row: Jakia Crews

That is the spirit, girls!

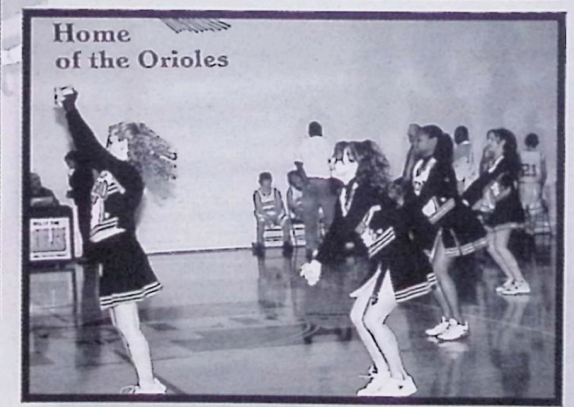


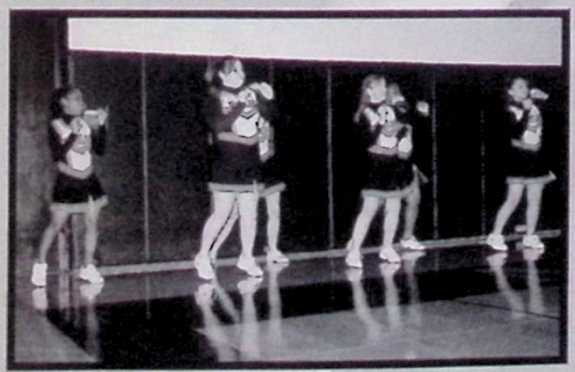
Show everybody what you all can do!





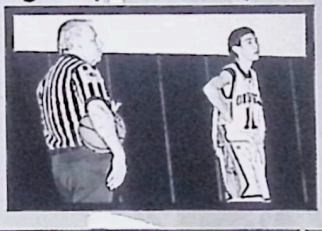
What are you girls doing standing? Come on girls, cheer!

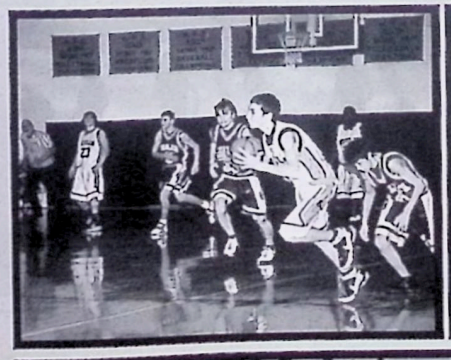


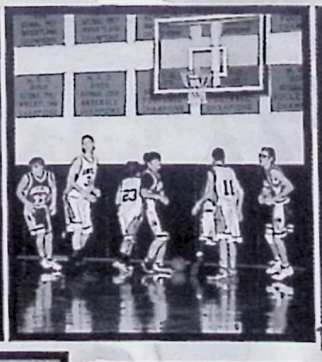


JV Boys Basketball

Back Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Mike Kent, Coach Vance Rewolinski, Todd Rewolinski, Shawn Harrington, Todd Bonheyo, Asst. Coach Darrius Brown
Front Row from L to R: DeAndre Gaskins, Roy Barron, Derek Cerasoli, Micah Traurig, Tyler Heisey



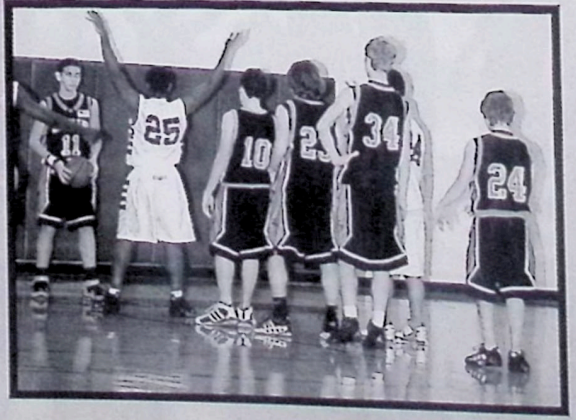




Protect the ball, Shawn!

Control the ball, Todd B!

A 2 pointer for you, Todd R!



Varsity Girls Basketball

Back Row from L to R: Brittany Frank, Claire Tucker, Trista Taylor, Racquel Roult, Stephanie Kurth, Tandy Lewis, Andrea Amati, Danielle Berrigan, Shayna Unger, Jennifer Rand

Front Row from L to R: Manager Vanishe Buchanan, Asst. Coach Scott Morrison, Coach Terry Berrigan, Asst. Coach Laura Lohmeyer, Manager Danielle Harris

Hurry up and call a play!

It's going to be all right, Shayna!

Don't be frustrated, Claire!

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New Life & ESDAA Champions! National Champs!

Our blonde, brunette, and red-headed seniors

Jump, Tandy, Jump!

Fight 'til the end of the game, girls!

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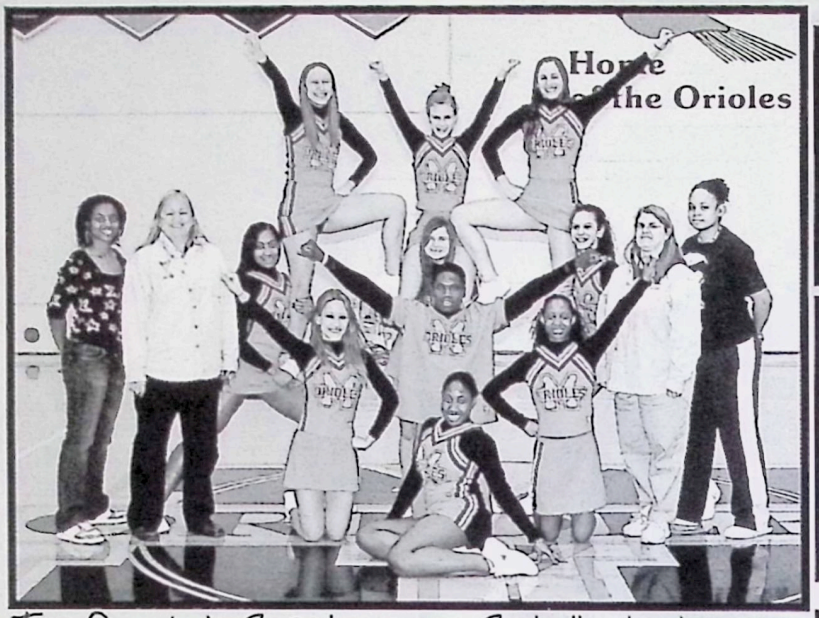
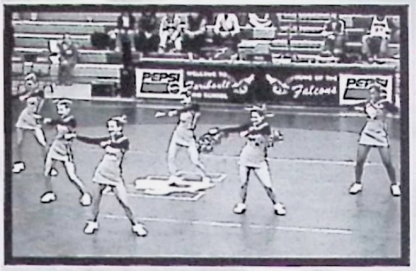
Varsity Winter Cheerleading



Top from L to R: Celine Daze, Rachella Shephard, Lauren Benedict
Second Row from L to R: Spotter Natalie Jones, Coach Janice Randall, Chenae Laldee, hanel Gleicher, Michelle Mansfield-Hom, sst. Coach Cynthia Stieffenhofer, Tykera Ward
Third Row from L to R: Marisa Andrade, Markeis Dobbins, Brittany Wiggins
On Floor: Christina Santiful



Keep on smiling, Michelle!

Miss, Miss and Miss!

Cheer, Rachella Cheer!

You all will be sorely missed.

Beautiful, girls, Beautiful!

ESDAA Champions!

Rock it, girls!

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Varsity Boys Basketball

Back Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Mike Kent, Mark Korn, Brandon McMillan, Coach Vance Rewolinski, Kevin Berrigan, Travis Oshman, Joseph Solano, Asst. Coach Darrius Brown
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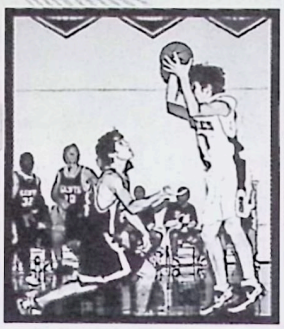
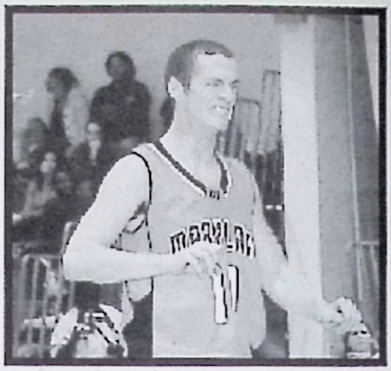
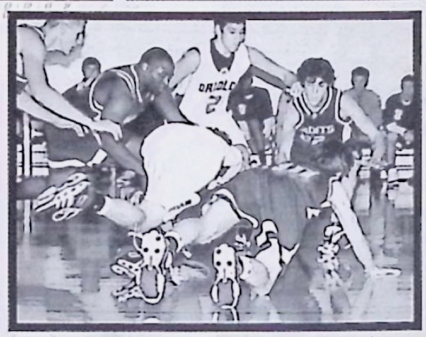




Its okay, Kevin, it is just a game!



Fight over the ball!

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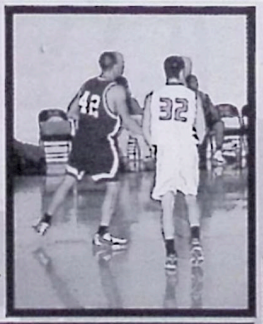
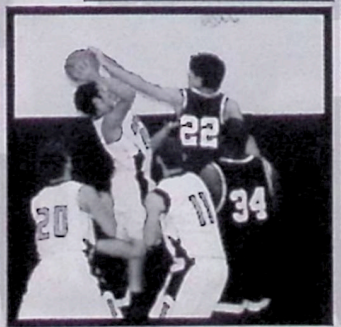
New Life & ESDAA Champions!



Kevin and Ryan, don't forget you both are on the same team!

Making a dunk, Brandon?



Is the opponent going to help you jump, Korn?

Home
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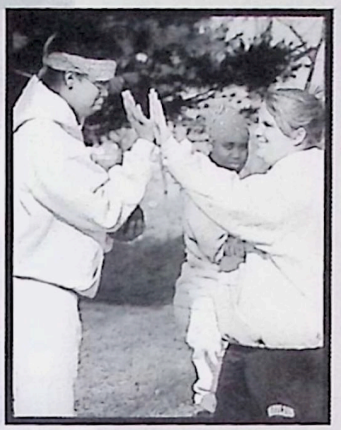
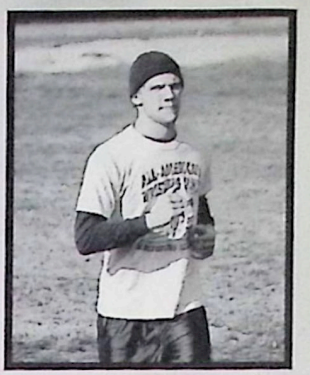
High school Spring Sports

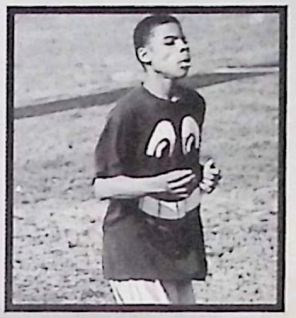
Track and Field

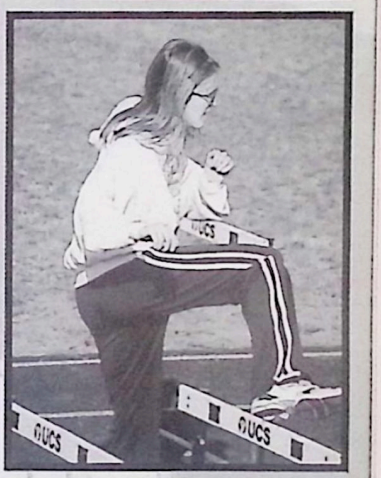
Back Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Betty Rewolinski, Asst. Coach Chris vonGarrell, Coach Ronnie Taylor
Third Row from L to R: Chantaya Green, Joshua Withrow, Aleasha Harrington, Danielle Harris, Mieasha Rahman, Chenae Ladlee, Stephanie Kurth, Karla Wiener, Ethan Kramer, Jennifer Rand
Second Row from L to R: Reina Bravo, Josiah Withrow, Michael DeVito, Brianna Buie, Nadasha Harvey, Jakia Crews, Lauren Simmons, Courtney Rideout, Shayna Rose Unger, Tilesha Cole
Front Row from L to R: Emre Sen, Amy Norman, Brady Painter, Christina Santiful, Travis Oshman, Joseph Solano
Missing: Asst. Coach Daniel Frank, Todd Bonheyo, Claire Tucker, Tandy Lewis, Jessica Israel, Ryan Bonheyo, Brett Ches, Michael Haywood, Tiffany Bridgett, Joshua Harper, DeAndre Gaskins, Chris Shaw, Donte Thomas, Kaeshaun Wills



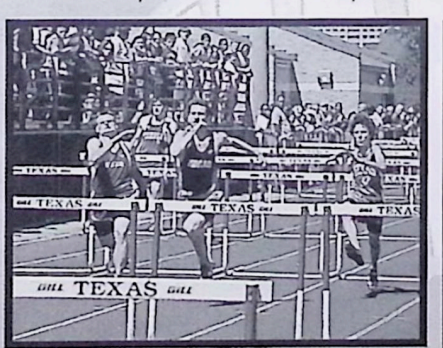


Run, Mark, Run!

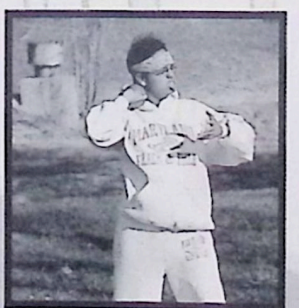




Practice, Amy, practice!



C'on Brady, jump that hurdle!



Throw it far, Brianna!

Softball

Back Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Laura Lohmeyer, Asst. Coach Jerry Mabashov, Brittany A. Frank, Michelin Barron, Manager Kevin Berrigan, Jessica Feldman, Andrea Amati, Coach Mathis Hediger, Asst. Coach Dave Frank
Front Row from L to R: Hillary Frankowiak, Brittany L. Frank, Claire Tucker, Amelia Dall, Trista Taylor, Michelle Mansfield-Hom, Tandy Lewis, Christy Hediger, Bethany Weiner, Tiffany Bridgett
Missing: Manager Emilia Nowalski, Jessica Israel, Shayna Unger

Hit a homer, Amelia!

Give them a strike, Jessica!

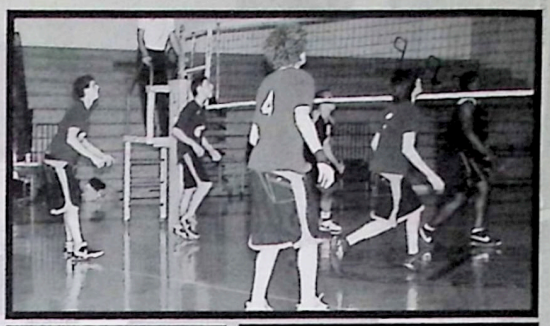
Running away from the team, Brittany?

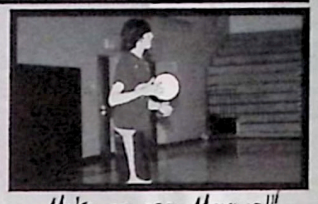
Our four infamous Seniors!

Varsity Boys Volleyball

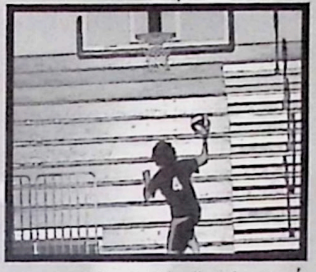
Back Row from L to R: Asst. Coach Ray Lehmann, Chad Unger, Roy Barron, Jonathan Clapp, Clayton McMillan, Michael Mabashov, Maxwell Latin, Clayton Grossinger, Todd Bonheyo, Flynn Rosko, Coach Vicki Kitsembel
Front Row: Brandon McMillan
Missing: Manager Lauren Benedict

Watch out for those three blockers, Mike!





Make an ace, Maxwell!



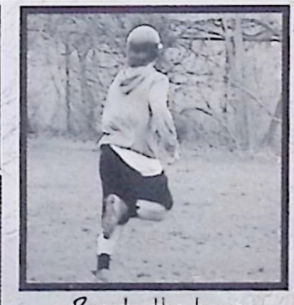
It is not basketball, Clayton!

Make a dent on the floor, Brandon!

The one and only Senior!

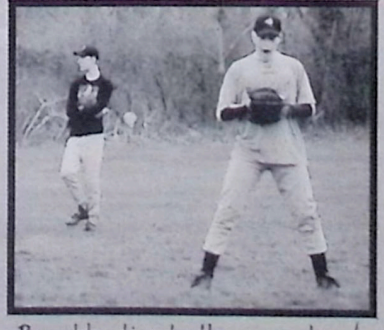
Baseball

Back Row from L to R: Coach Scott Morrison, Asst. Coach Johnston Grindstaff, Joshua Withrow, Wesley Francis, Jarvis Grindstaff, Shawn Harrington, Colin Hill, Kevin Berrigan, Travis Oshman, Mark Korn, Chad Oshman, Corey Balzer, Justin Wiener, Myles Goldberg, Asst. Coach Bruce Pearsons, Tom Korn
Front Row: Manager Shayna Unger



Run to the home plate, Colin!

Chad, why are you smiling? Go hit the ball!



Pay attention to the game, boys!

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May 31, 2008

Dear Members of the Graduating Class of 2008,

On behalf of the MSD Community, I wish congratulate each of you on your reaching a personal milestone in your lives: high school graduation! MSD has much faith in your individual skills and talents as you move on to the world of work, to vocational programs, or to colleges and universities. May your "MSD Education" be your foundation as each of you journey throughout your lives.

This November, our country will elect a new president. Most likely, it will be a United States Senator, and perhaps a woman, or a person of color. Our new leader will immediately face many challenges. Our country is still at war in Iraq and Afghanistan with the outcome still in doubt. U.S. Army Corporal Kevin Mowl, the son of the superintendent of the Rochester School for the Deaf Dr. Harold Mowl and his wife Mary, died on February 25, 2008 from injuries sustained in combat in Iraq. I would like to offer our deepest sympathies to Kevin's family and to all the families who have lost a loved one in this war.

At the domestic front, we continue to struggle with issues that will be at the forefront of our national debate for years to come. For example, Social Security benefits may not keep pace with inflation in the future, thus impacting individuals who depend on this income. Immigration reform, universal health care, gun control, gay marriages, environment, and energy policy issues most likely will dominate presidential debates in the months leading to the November elections. It is with much hope that each of you will contribute to our collective quest for world peace, universal tolerance, and prosperity.

Do treasure throughout your lifetimes the knowledge, skills, and friends you gained at MSD. Hundreds of members of the MSD Community are proud to have served each of you, and we wish you the best of luck. You are always welcome to visit us and share with us your "world experiences".

Best wishes,

James E. Tucker

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Superintendent

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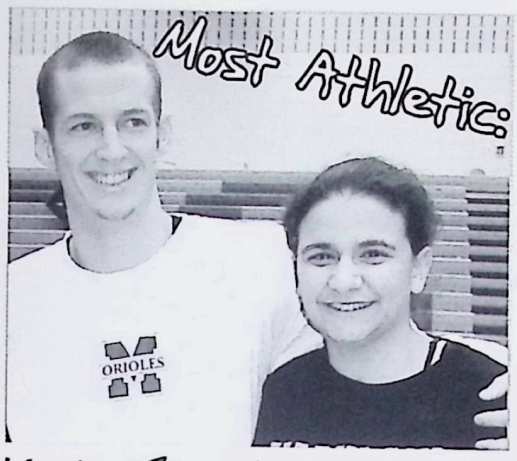

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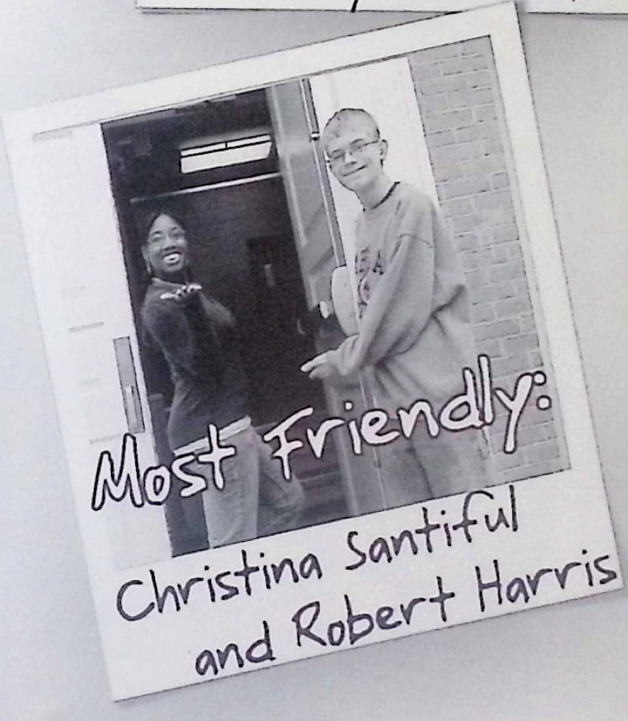

Christina Santiful
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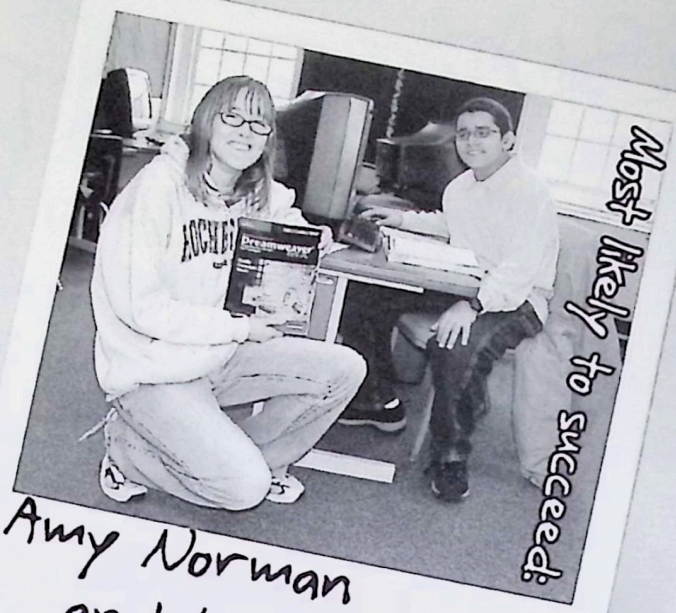
Daniel Katz-Hernandez

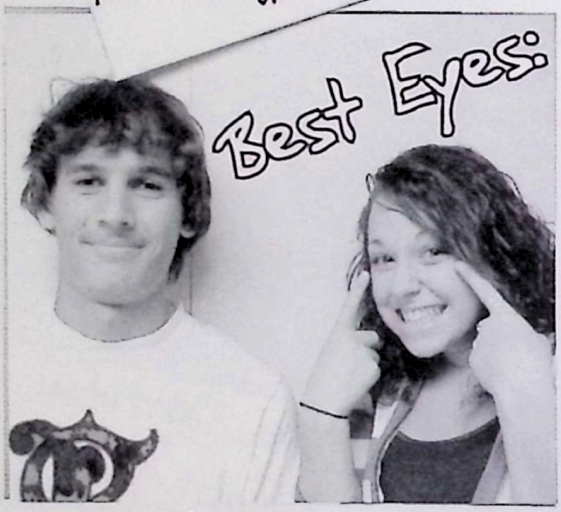
Jessica Feldman
and Antonio Bush

Allison Weiner
and Samantha Curry

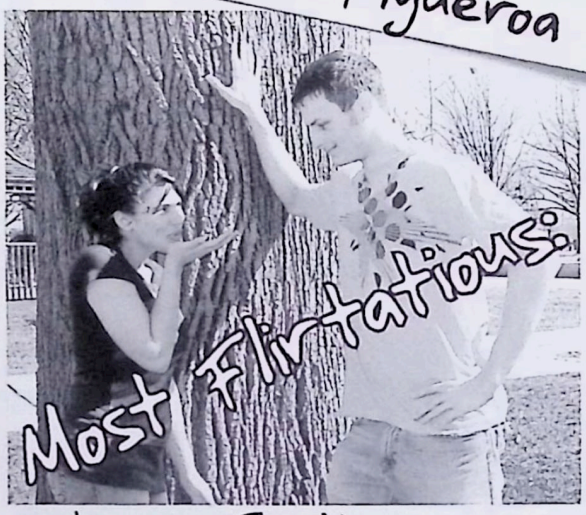
Natalie Jones, Sean Raghunandan and Joel Johnson



Amy Norman and Luis Figueroa



Drey Sims and Amelia Unger



Sabrina Roult and Travis Oshman

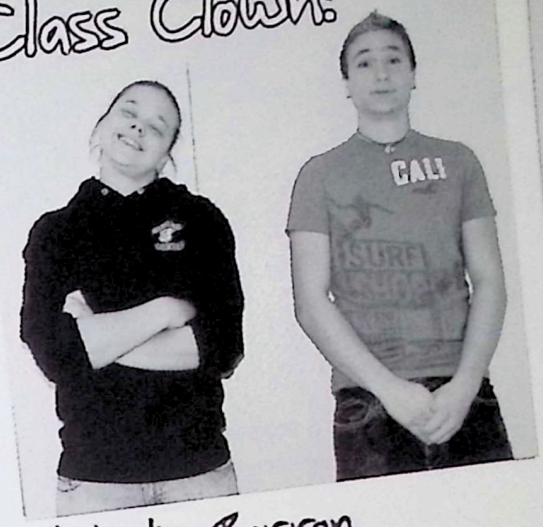
Jared Hoel and Tykera Ward

Mark Korn, Colin Hill and Abudul Crawford

Most Easy to Laugh:

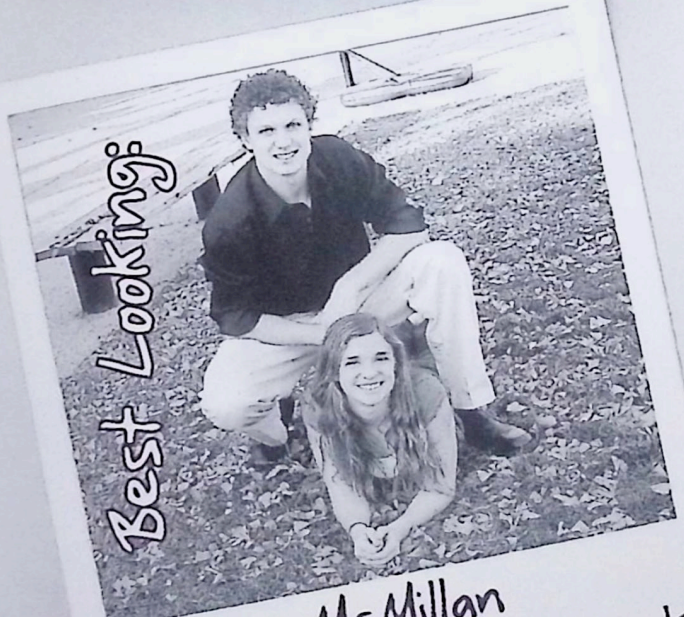
Brady Painter
and Jenna Richmond

Class Clown:



Michelin Barron
and Albert Tharpe III

Best Looking:



Brandon McMillan
and Brittany Frank

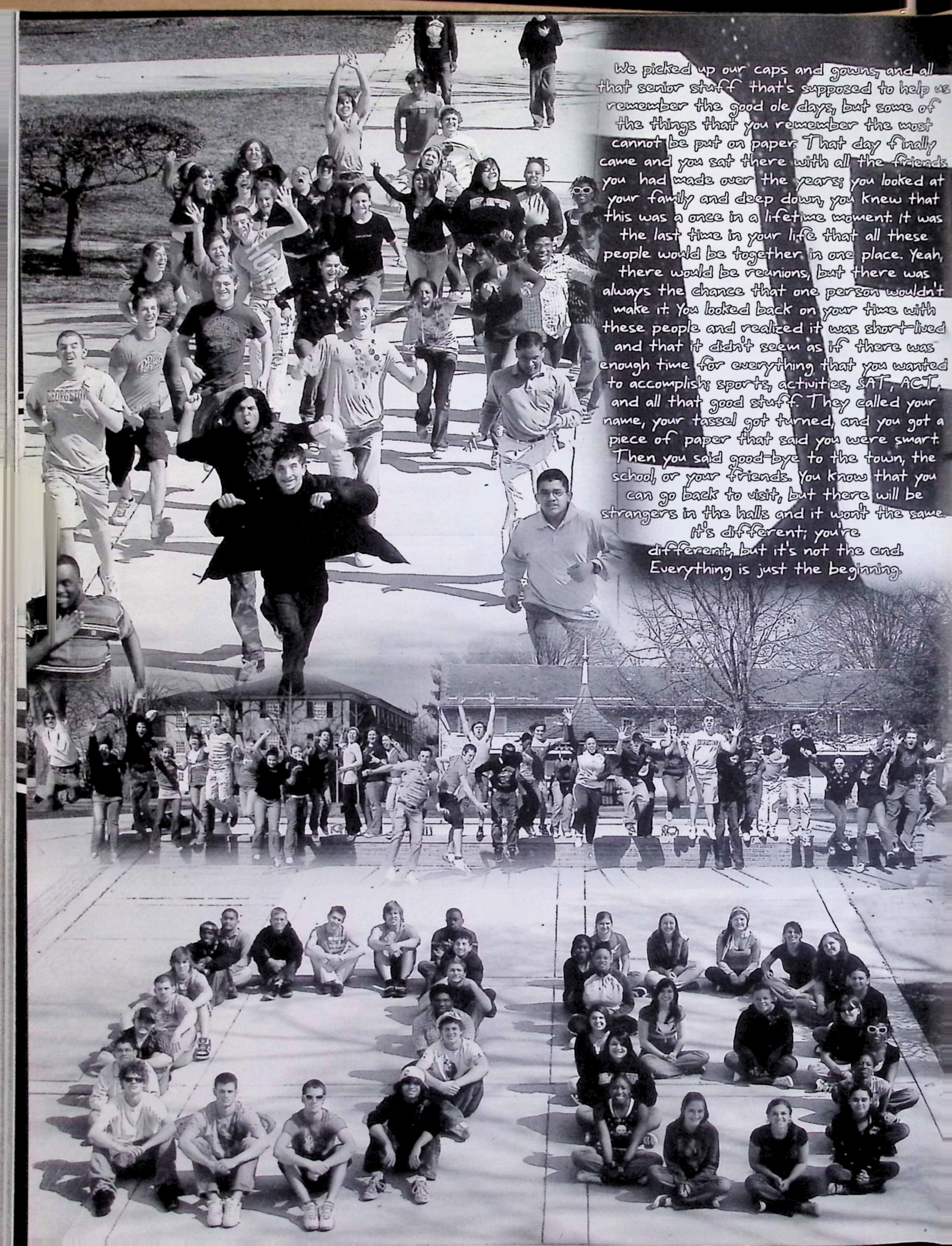
Most chatter-box:

Celine Daze, Jackie Coffren
and Emilia Nowalski

Best Smile:

Markies Dobbins
and Erica Hill

CLASS OF 2008



We picked up our caps and gowns, and all that senior stuff that's supposed to help us remember the good ole days, but some of the things that you remember the most cannot be put on paper. That day finally came and you sat there with all the friends you had made over the years; you looked at your family and deep down, you knew that this was a once in a lifetime moment. It was the last time in your life that all these people would be together in one place. Yeah, there would be reunions, but there was always the chance that one person wouldn't make it. You looked back on your time with these people and realized it was short-lived and that it didn't seem as if there was enough time for everything that you wanted to accomplish; sports, activities, SAT, ACT, and all that good stuff. They called your name, your tassel got turned, and you got a piece of paper that said you were smart. Then you said good-bye to the town, the school, or your friends. You know that you can go back to visit, but there will be strangers in the halls and it won't the same. It's different; you're different, but it's not the end. Everything is just the beginning.

Andrea Theresa Serena Amati

Andi
May 1, 1990
Bridgeport, Connecticut
Taurus

"I am the master of my fate, I am the captain of my soul." -William Ernest Henley

Volleyball (1 2 3 4), Basketball (1 2 3 4), Softball (1 2 3 4), Powerlifting (1 2 3 4), Academic Bowl (2 3 4), Peer Mediator (2 3), Class Sergeant (3), SBG Secretary (3), Jr. NAD (1 2 3), Yearbook Co-Editor-in-Chief (4)

I hereby bequeath.. my egoism in basketball to Shayna Rose Unger; my love of television shows to Danielle Berrigan; the Frankowiak-Amati night talks to Hillary Frankowiak

Favorite High School Memory: Winning 2 years straight for the Spike Out and National Champion title for Volleyball, winning against TLC for ESDAA, and getting the National Champion title for Basketball. I couldn't ask for a better team!

Marisa Rose Elizabeth Andrade

Mia-poo
November 28, 1990
Ufa, Russia
Sagittarius

"Be yourself, be pleasant, play hard and have no regrets." -Jimmy Buffett

Fall Cheerleading (1 2), Winter Cheerleading (1 2 4), Track and Field (1 2), Homecoming Committee (2 3), Prom Committee (3), Jr. NAD (1 2 3), Yearbook (4), Drama Crew (3), International Orioles (2 3)

I hereby bequeath.. my love of being a flyer to Rachella Shephard and Michelle Mansfield-Hom; my love of true friendship to Chanel Gleicher; my love of laughter and sense of humor to Shaina Steingieser and Racquel Roult.

WOW, that is it. HOORAY! It's time for me to leave MSD with all good memories that I made since the first grade. To my wonderful family, all I can say is thank you for supporting me completely 100% and everything. I also couldn't ask for more than anything. I love you, Mommie and Daddie. I would like to say thanks to all the teachers and friends at MSD for making me who I am for the past 13 years of my life.
LIVE YOUR LIFE TO THE FULLEST!

Michelin Martha Barron

Michy
June 9, 1990
Marshalltown, Iowa
Gemini

"It's kind of fun to do the impossible" -Walt Disney

Volleyball (1 3 4), Basketball (1), Softball (1 3 4), Track and Field (1)

I hereby bequeath.. my middle blocker skills to Shaina Steingieser.

Favorite High School Memory: winning the National Champion title for Volleyball, being able to do J with Lauren Benedict's perfect set, and winning the Most Valuable Player at Dummy Hoy V during my freshman year.

Kevin Doherty Xavier Berrigan

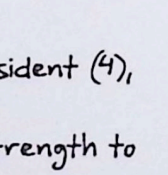
Stone Kev
February 17, 1990
Rockville, Maryland
Aquarius

"I know not with what weapons World War III will be fought, but World War IV will be fought with sticks and stones."
-Albert Einstein

Football (1 2 3 4), Basketball (1 2 3 4), Baseball (1), Volleyball (2), Track & Field (3) Weightlifting (1 2 3 4), JR NAD (3 4), Youth Leadership Camp '07 (3)

I hereby bequeath.. the power to keep the Golden Age of MSD sports running to anyone who cares enough.

I love you, Mom and Dad for enduring the hardships you have suffered with me. And my sisters, you complete me!



Antonio Thomas Bush

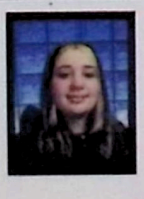
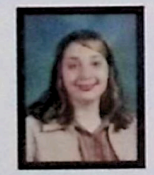
Tony
December 17, 1989
Washington, D.C.
Sagittarius

"I don't do fashion, I am fashion."
-Coco Chanel

SBG Class Representative (3 4), Class Vice-President (4), Drama (1 2 3), Literature Club (3 4)

I hereby bequeath.. my sense of humor and strength to Jakia Crews and Chenae Ladlee.

Favorite High School Memory: Sneaking out on my first homecoming. Riding a car from a guy I don't even know but I was with my friends and I knew I was in high school.

Jacqueline Victoria Coffren

Jackie
October 28, 1990
St. Charles, Maryland
Scorpio

"Time waits for no one"

Peer Mediator (4), Class Treasurer (1), Class Vice-President (2 3), Homecoming Committee (1 2 3 4), Drama (2 3 4)

I hereby bequeath.. my twisted sense of humor to those who know how to laugh when you're not supposed to; my "oh it's one of those "on and off" days excuses to Reina Bravo; my leadership ability to Skye Dreumont and Rachael Richart; my crazy morning mood to Zack Barron, Kaitlyn Weeks, and

What have I been telling you people?! I told you that I was going to graduate on time and here I am!
The elderly Coffren's--I love you guys, and I'm leaving the nest and yet, I'll always be your little Jaybird.
Thanks for sacrificing a lot so I'd have the best of everything.
P.S. Look at it this way, you won't have to drag me out of bed anymore.
Mum--We're, for sure, an example of unique mom & daughter relationship.
Thanks for everything, and thanks for sacrificing your dreams for mine. I love you!
Daddy- I know I wasn't in your life as much as I would like to be, but thank you for being my Dad! I love you!

Abderrahim Bachiri Crawford

Abdul
January 6, 1987
Mohammadia, Morocco
Capricorn

"Be Yourself"

Football Manager (2 3 4), Basketball (2),
Boys Basketball Manager (1 2 3 4)

I hereby bequeath.. my love for Shockley House to Wade Lawson and DeAngelo Jones.

Peace to all!

Please remember if you need someone to talk to, you can talk to your friends. I will miss my best friends.

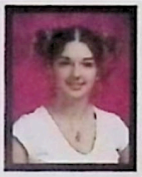
Samantha Carilla Curry

Soxy, Cutie Star
July 5, 1989
Havre de Grace, Maryland
Cancer

"Don't hide your pride"

Fall Cheerleading (2), Jr. NAD (2),
Homecoming Committee (1 2 3 4), Prom Committee (3)

I hereby bequeath.. my cheerful personality to Chanel and Nicole Gleicher.



Céline Louise Dazé

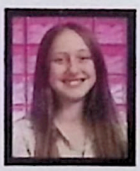
Celinie Beanie
October 7, 1990
Frederick, Maryland
Libra

"You been Dazed"

Fall Cheerleading (1 2 3 4), Winter Cheerleading (1 2 3 4), Peer Mediator (4),
SBG Class Representative (2), SBG Treasurer (4), JR NAD (2 3 4),
Jr. NAD President (4), Homecoming Princess (3 4), Pageant (1 2), Drama (1 2),
Youth Leadership Camp '07 (4)

I hereby bequeath Michelle Mansfield-Hom my love for signing songs; Rachella Shephard my passion for cheerleading; Lauren Bendict my energy and laughter; my love for skinny jeans to Clayton McMillan; The Brewer Family for the love I have for my family; Lauren Wahl and Chanel Gleicher for everything I am.

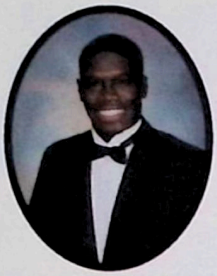
I want to thank MSD for the wonderful 7 years they have given me. I know that I will bring all the knowledge that they have taught me to college, as well as throughout life. Thank you MSD and all my friends for the wonderful 7 years. :)



Markeis Antonio Dobbins

Mark
September 8, 1986
Baltimore, Maryland
Virgo

"Any American boy can be a basketball star if he groups up, up, up"
-Bill Vaughn



Football (1 2 3 4), Basketball (1 2 3 4), Fall Cheerleading (6), Winter Cheerleading (5 6) Powerlifting (1 2 3 4), Track and Field (1 2 3 4), Jr.Nad (1)

I herby bequeath.. my maintence job to DeAngelo Jones; my cheerleading and gymnastic skills to Chenae Ladlee

Favorite High School Memory: 2007 Homecoming because there were so many people watching me showing my gymnastic skills with the Cheerleading squad. it was a proud time for me to show my spirit. I would like to work at Foot Locker in Baltimore. I love you and I will miss you, Debbie.

Jessica Heather Feldman

Jessie
June 7, 1990
Manhasset, New York
Gemini

"Screws just fall out all the time, the world is an imperfect place"
-Breakfast Club

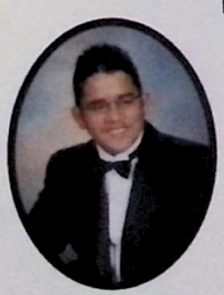
Volleyball (1 2), Fall Cheerleading Drummer (4), Winter Cheerleading Drummer (1 2), Softball (1 2 3 4), Peer Mediator (2 3), Class Vice-President (1), Class President (2 3), Prom Committee (3), SBG Treasurer (3), Jr. NAD (1 2 3 4), Jr. NAD Treasurer (2), Jr. NAD Vice President (3), Drama (1), National Honor Society (2 3 4)

I herby bequeath.. my sappiness, my love for television shows, movies, and music to Bethany Leigh Weiner aka B; the Dearbought Legacy to Racquel Valerie Roult; productive practices to Christy Blair Hediger; my love for softball to Amelia Sue Dall

For fifteen years I have known nothing but MSD, I will always cherish MSD and my time spent here. You all have made me into the person I am today. To all of the friends who have been there for me when I was down, thanks for that extra hug or two. Mommy, Daddy, and Josh, I really can't say anything more than this but thank you for always being there and thank you for loving me. I love you.

Luis Figueroa-Montanez

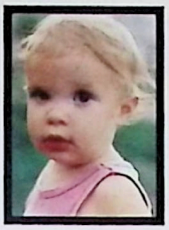
Luisto
August 14, 1989
Fort Knox, Kentucky



"To be or not to be, that is the question."
-William Shakespeare

I herby bequeath.. my love of field trips to Daniel Bitzel and Kevin Sumpter.

Favorite High School Memory: Pep Rallys, going on field trips, and having a party for each holiday.



Brittany Alexandra Frank

Brit
April 27, 1990
Boston, Massachusetts
Taurus

"Don't go through life, grow through life." -Eric Butterworth

Volleyball (1 2 3 4), Basketball (1 2 3 4), Softball (1 2 3 4), Track and Field (1), Peer Mediator (2 3), JR NAD (1 2 3 4), Class Secretary (1 2 3 4), Homecoming Princess (2), Pageant (3), Youth Leadership Camp '06 (2), Yearbook Co-Editor-in-Chief (4)

I hereby bequeath.. the legacy of the name "Brittany Frank" and the Libero position for volleyball to Brittany L. Frank; my love of adventures and being a risk-taker to Danielle Berrigan, Shayna Rose Unger, Amelia Dall, and Lauren Benedict; my sneaky and mischevious personality to Tandy Lewis.

After fifteen years at MSD.. I'm finally out of here!

Robert Bradley George Harris

Bobby
June 26, 1990
West Palm Beach, Florida
Cancer

"FREEDOM ISN'T FREE"

Jr. NAD (2 3 4), Jr. NAD Treasurer (4), Jr. NAD Conference (4), Drama (1 2 3 4), Boy Scout of America (1 2 3 4), Eagle Scout (2), International Orioles (3)

I hereby bequeath.. my position as student A.S.C. teacher at Best Buy to Michael Tota; my ability to have random conversations in the early mornings on the bus to Isaac Cline.

I want to thank all the staff at Maryland School for the Deaf for all their hard work to serve us. I will miss Maryland School for the Deaf!

God Bless You!

Colin Sean Hill

Colin 'British Accent'
February 7, 1990
Fort Worth, Texas
Aquarius

"Sooner or later we all discover that the important moments in life are not the advertised ones, not the birthdays, the graduations, the weddings, not the great goals achieved. The real milestones are less prepossessing. They come to the door of memory." -Susan B. Anthony

Football (2 3 4), Basketball (2 3), Track and Field (2), Powerlifting (2 3 4), SBG Class Representative (2), Jr. NAD (2 3 4), Homecoming Prince (3)

I hereby bequeath.. the Hill legacy to my sister, Corinna who will carry it on better than I ever could; the number 54 for football to Derek Cerasoli.

Three years have gone by fast but it was worth it. Thanks Mom and Dad for giving up everything in Texas and moving here for me and Corinna. Thanks for always being there for me through thick and thin. To my dogs, I give you my bedroom.

Erica Shanee' Hill

Rica
December 10, 1989
Baltimore, Maryland
Sagittarius

"Be who you are"

Volleyball (3), Track and Field (2 4), Class Sergeant (4), Jr. NAD (2), Literature Club (3 4)

I hereby bequeath.. my creative skills to Chenae Ladlee and Jakia Crews.

Chenae Ladlee and Jakia Crews, you're my amazing best friends who I tend to hang out with and talk a lot with no matter what ever happens.

Jared Ryan Hoel

May 31, 1987
Elkhart, Indiana
Gemini

"Tell me and I'll forget. Show me and I'll remember. Involve me and I'll understand." -Confucius

Football (1 2 3 4), Wrestling (1 2 3 4 5), Winter Cheerleading (4), Volleyball (1 2), Track and Field (1 2 3), Weightlifting (2 3), Drama (3 4 5), Jr. BDA (4 5), Orioles Club (1 2)

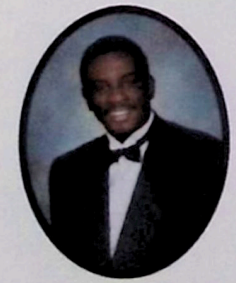
I hereby bequeath.. all my wrestling moves to Wesley Francis.

I want to thank my family for all the support and encouragement they have given me. It made me become who I am today. I love all of you.

Joel Willis Johnson

Joey
February 11, 1987
Baltimore, Maryland
Aquarius

"I am sleepy... Did I miss something?"



To my good friend, Matthew Sachse. I will always remember you. You were always there for me when I am having a hard time or bad time. You know how to make my day bright.

I will miss Bonnie Vanbuskirk and staying in the dorm

My goal is to buy a house someday and continue working at the Jeanne Bussard Center.

Natalie Natasha Jones

NJ
August 19, 1986
Springfield, Massachusetts
Leo

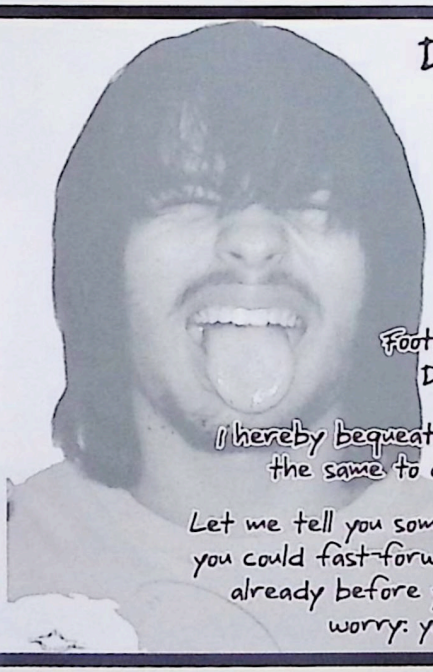
"The making of friends who are real friends, is the best token we have of a woman's success in life." -Edward Everett Hale

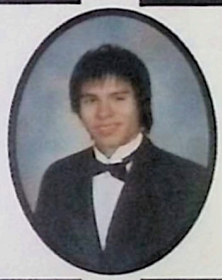
I hereby bequeath. my fashion skills to all the beautiful ladies at Frederick Campus.

Favorite High School Memory: In Barry Hall, I enjoyed chatting, laughing, and socializing with my friends. Most of my memories were from the Shockley House experience. My favorite teacher, Bonnie Vanburkirk taught me invaluable life skills.

My Goal is to attend Frederick Community College to study more about Creative Arts and improve my English. After completing FCC, I will seek for a job.

Daniel Philip Katz-Hernandez





Katz
June 20, 1990
West Hartford, Connecticut
Gemini

"Things do not change; we change"

Football (1 2 3), Wrestling (1 2 4), Jr. NAD (1 2 3 4), Drama (1 2 3), Youth Leadership Camp '07 (3)

I hereby bequeath. my passion and skills for wrestling to Mark Cross; it goes the same to any boy who is willing to keep our wrestling program alive.

Let me tell you something from my experience as a senior. If you had a wish that you could fast-forward to the end of your senior year. Your wish will be granted already before you could wish it. So make memories while you can! And don't worry: you won't see the last of me yet. See you soon.... not.

Mark Edward Korn

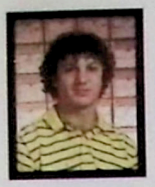
Kornic
June 14, 1989
La Mirada, California

"Nothing is impossible"

Football (3 4), Basketball (3 4), Baseball (4)

I hereby bequeath.. my hammer pledge skill to Ryan Bonheyo.

Thanks to MSD and my parents for encouraging me to continue my education. Thanks to several teachers, staff and coaches for giving me meaningful support.



Brandon Thomas McMillan

Brand
April 20, 1990
Silver Spring, Maryland
Taurus

"When you try so hard to not die, you forget to live."
-CSI: Miami

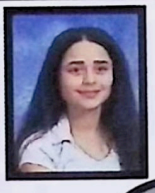
Football (1 2 3 4), Basketball (1 2 3 4), Volleyball (1 2 3), Jr. NAD (2 3 4), Jr. NAD Vice President (4), Class Sergeant (3), Homecoming Prince (1), Homecoming King (4), Pageant (3), Youth Leadership Camp '07 (3)

I hereby bequeath.. the legacy of McMillan and my good ol' white van to my younger brother, Clayton, who I couldn't possibly live without; the lyrics of the Grandma song to Shayna Unger; my love of music to Bethany Weiner and Christy Hediger

Favorite High School Memory: my entire Freshman year for experiencing the first of everything.

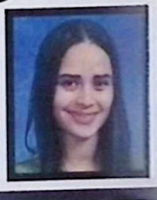
Stephanie Nogueras

Stella
November 18, 1989
Camden, New Jersey
Scorpio



"There's been a lot of ups and downs, but at the end of the day that's what makes you human. Ultimately we all know how to laugh, how to cry, how to be hurt and how to know heartbreak. But the world keeps moving and all these experiences make us realize how beautiful life really is." -Britney Spears

Peer Mediator (2 3), Class Sergeant (2), Literature Club (3 4), International Orioles (4)



I hereby bequeath.. my sense of humor in action to Jennifer Rand; my sweet smile to my very dear friends.

Amy Louise Norman

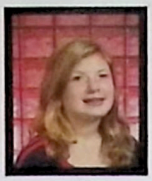
Math Genius
June 27, 1990
York, Pennsylvania
Cancer

"Play like there is no tomorrow"

Basketball (1), Track and Field (1 2 3 4), Dorm Council (1 2)

I hereby bequeath.. my smile and my love of running to Chenae Ladlee.

Well... MSD, good bye! I want to say good luck next year to all Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors. May you have a bright future.



Emilia Zofia Nowalski

Emmy, Em
May 16, 1990
Manhasset, New York
Taurus

"Life is too short to be afraid,
step inside the sun"

Fall Cheerleading (1 2 4), Volleyball (3), Winter Cheerleading (1 2 3), Softball (1 2),
Class President (1 4), Secretary of Academic and Student Welfare (3),
Jr. NAD (1 2 3 4), Prom Co-Chairperson (3), Youth Leadership Camp '06 (2)

I hereby bequeath.. my craziness to Racquel Roult; my spirit fingers in
cheerleading to Chanel Gleicher; my screwed up eyebrows to Bethany Weiner.

Dobry do Widzenia

Travis Daniel Oshman

Big Travis
October 30, 1989
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Scorpio

"Favorite quote is unheard of."

Football (4), Basketball (4), Track and Field (3 4), Weightlifting (3), Baseball (4)

I hereby bequeath.. my speed, agility, and hands to my brother, Chad Oshman

Favorite High School Memory: the good times we had in the football camp,
ESDAA '08 at ASD, and the players who I played with will be sorely missed.

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Braden Stuart Painter

Brady
August 31, 1990
Woodbridge, Virginia
Virgo

"A day without laughter is a day wasted."
-Charlie Chaplin

Basketball (1), Volleyball (1), Track and Field (1 2 3 4), Homecoming Chairperson (3),
SBG Class Representative (3), Jr. NAD (1 2 3 4), Drama (1 2), Senecorps at Africa (3),
Youth Leadership Camp '07 (3)

I hereby bequeath.. my snake-fu-ness to Racquel Roult; my
DavidBeckham-likeness to Bethany Weiner. LY.

See me at Gallaudet University!

Sean Emran Raghunandan

May 24, 1987
Silver Spring, Maryland
Gemini

"Thumbs up"

Flying Orioles (1 2 3)

I hereby bequeath.. my work at the Jeanne Bussard Center to Wade Lawson; my work at AT&T to Danielle Harris.

I will miss my good friends, Danielle Harris, Vanishe Bunchanan, and DeAndre White. Thank you, Jared Hoel, for helping me. Thank you, Mom and Dad.

Jenna Lyn Richmond

Jennakins
December 7, 1990
Baltimore, Maryland
Sagittarius

"Draw a line and live above it"

Fall Cheerleading (1 2 3), Winter Cheerleading (1 2), Track and Field (1), Peer Mediator (4), SBG Class Representative (2) JR NAD (1 2 3 4), Drama (1), Cooking Club (2)

I hereby benqueath.. my bus seat and my stalker analyzing skills to my favorite busmate, Karla Eva Wiener.

Wow, this is it.. it is finally my turn to say "Good Bye High School and Hello Real World." I'm going to leave with a smile, knowing I did live my life to the fullest at MSD and now I'm going to live some more in the future. Hasta la Vista, MSDers. I want to thank every one of you who have been in my life... for being a part of it. My parents, I love you both and you both are my heroes. Peter John Anthony Leccese, you've done more than I could have ever asked for. Thank you. You're the best. I love you.

Sabrina Ashley Roult

Sabby
May 28, 1990
Long Island, New York
Gemini

"There will be two dates on your tombstone. Everyone will read them, but the only thing that matters is the little dash in between them"

Volleyball (1 2 3 4), Basketball (1), Softball (2), Peer Mediator (4), JR. NAD (1 2 3), Homecoming Committee (2 3), Prom Co-Chairperson (3)

I hereby bequeath.. the Roult legacy to my little sister, Racquel; my iPod addiction to Bethany Weiner and Christy Hediger; my love of Baja Club to Shayna Rose Unger; the meaning of friendship to Danielle Berrigan, Amelia Dall, and Lauren Benedict

Christina Shante' Santiful

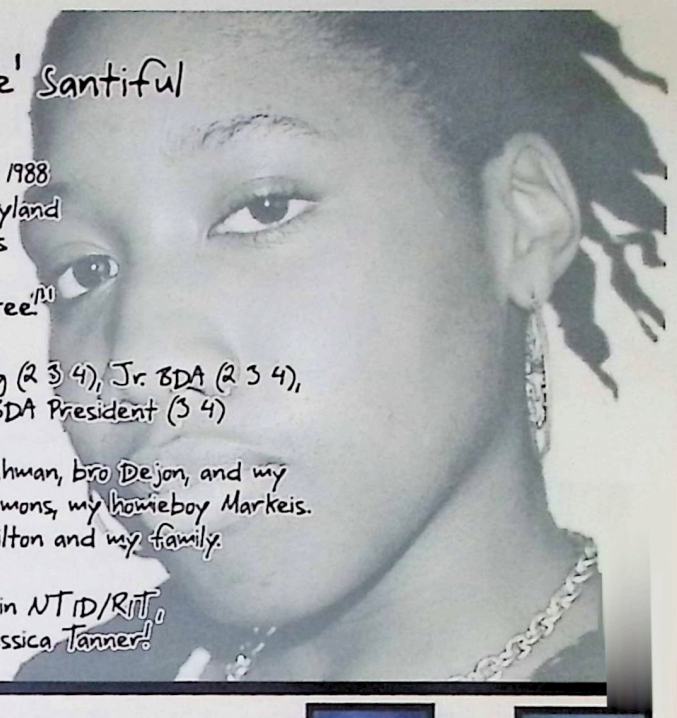
Chrissy
December 15, 1988
Baltimore, Maryland
Sagittarius

"Smile, it's free!"

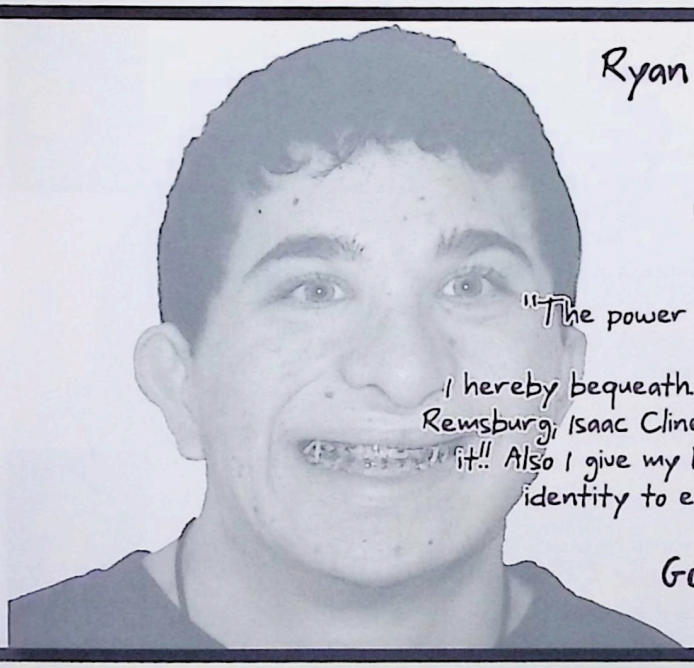
Track and Field (3 4), Powerlifting (2 3 4), Jr. BDA (2 3 4), Jr. BDA Secretary (2), Jr. BDA President (3 4)

I will miss you, my sista Mieasha Rahman, bro Dejon, and my homiegurls Tia Duval and Lauren Simmons, my homieboy Markeis. I love you, cousin Dejuan Hamilton and my family.

I can't wait to join you in NTID/RIT, Adonica Harris and Jessica Tanner!



Ryan James Schwalb



Ryman
August 15, 1989
Washington, D.C.
Leo

"The power of the sun is in my palm."

I hereby bequeath.. my liking of Spider-Man to Nick Remsburg, Isaac Cline, and Maxwell Latin. Keep watching it!! Also I give my knowledge of the Wall-Crawler's identity to everyone. He is Peter Parker!!

Good Bye!!!!

Andreas Ryne Sims

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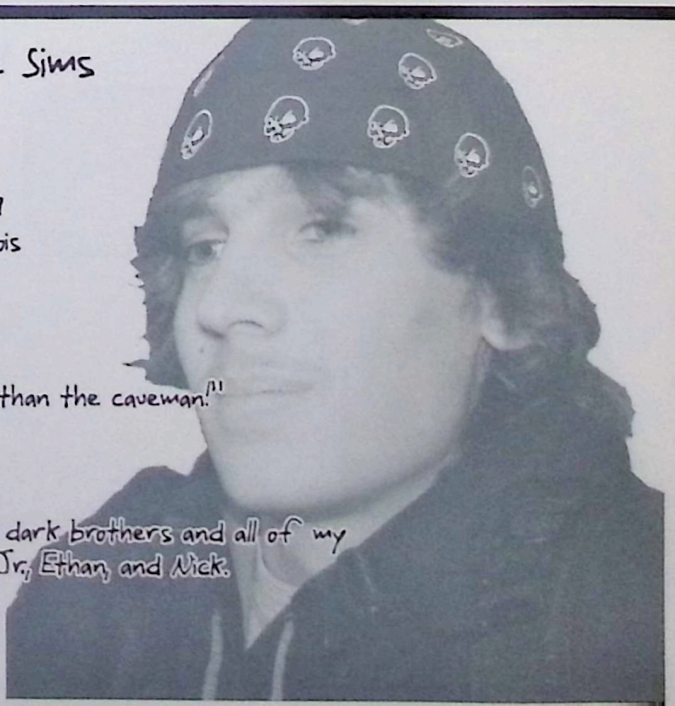
Caveman
August 27, 1989
Jacksonville, Illinois
Virgo

"Nobody deserves to be better than the caveman."

I hereby bequeath.. my athletic skills to my dark brothers and all of my friends, especially Derek, Gregg Jr., Ethan, and Nick.



Albert Lee Tharpe III

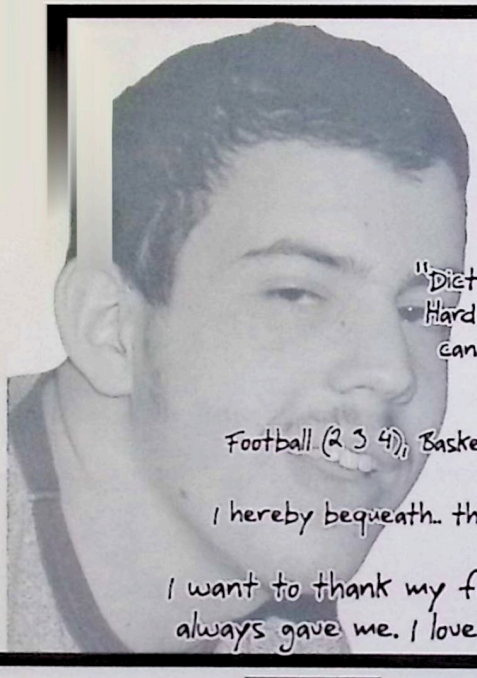
The Third
January 23, 1990
Baltimore, Maryland
Aquarius

"Love everyone but trust a few"

Football (2 3), Homecoming Prince (2 4), Drama (3 4)

I hereby bequeath.. my fullest love to Rachella Suzanne Madison Shephard; my biggest sign to Chanel Gleicher.

Favorite High School Memory: Three girls, Celine, Chanel and Rachella pushed me in the Carroll Creek. I got my pants and shoes all wet. It was not funny at that time but now it is!



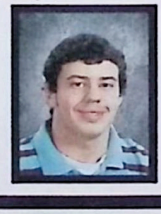
Rami Henri Traurig

Rambo
December 28, 1989
Ottawa, Ontario, Canada
Capricorn

"Dictionary is the only place that success comes before work. Hard work is the price we must pay for success. I think you can accomplish anything if you're willing to pay the price."
-Vince Lombardi

Football (2 3 4), Basketball (3), Weightlifting (3 4), SBG Class Representative (2)

I hereby bequeath.. the Traurig legacy to my brother, Micah Fred Traurig.



I want to thank my family for their love and support that they always gave me. I love you Mommy, Daddy, and my brother, Micah.

Amelia Elizabeth Unger

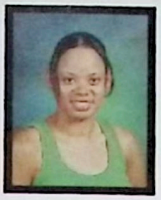
Meli
January 30, 1990
Framingham, Massachusetts
Aquarius

"You only live once, do everything you can."

Volleyball (3), Basketball (2 3), Weightlifting (2), Boys Volleyball Manager (2 3), JR NAD (3)

I hereby bequeath.. my everything and my love to Shayna Rose and Chad.

I love you, Brian



Tykera Monae Ward

Baby Kera
June 15, 1987
Alexandria, Virginia
Gemini

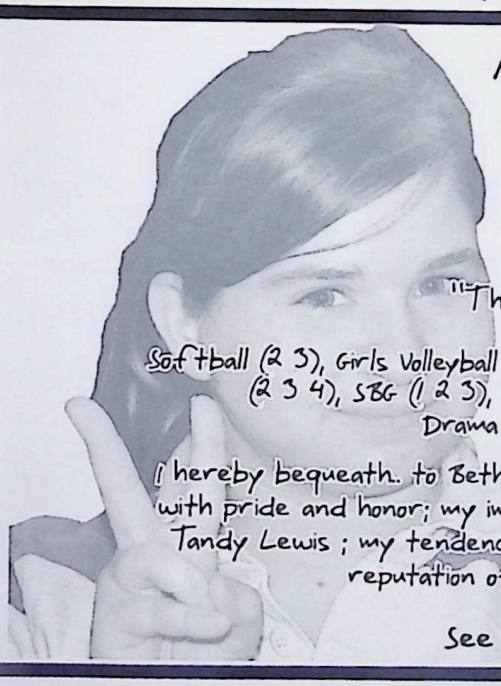
"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams." -Eleanor Roosevelt

Basketball (1 2 3 4), Girls Basketball Manager (3), Winter Cheerleading (3), Jr. BDA (2 3), Flying Orioles (2 3)

I hereby bequeath.. my love to talk on Sidekick III to Portia Gantt and Mieasha Rahman.

I will miss Helen McClarin-Kearney, Yolanda Colston, Leah Louallen, and Barbara Smith. I want to give my special thanks to Helen for helping me. You know I will always love you!

My Goal is to go to work then go to college to get a degree in Spa Massage.



Allison Joy Weiner

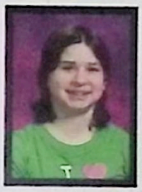
AJ
September 22, 1991
Livingston, New Jersey
Virgo

"The sun still shines" -Sophie Scholl

Softball (2 3), Girls Volleyball Manager (4), Academic Bowl (1 2 3 4), Class Treasurer (2 3 4), SBG (1 2 3), Jr. NAD (1 2 3 4), National Honor Society (3 4), Drama (1 2 3), International Orioles (2 3)

I hereby bequeath.. to Bethany Leigh Weiner, the Weiner legacy, may she uphold it with pride and honor; my immense love for snowboarding to Lauren Benedict and Tandy Lewis ; my tendency to satirize every situation to Christy Hediger; the reputation of "being the youngest" to Katie Millios.

See me in the Washington Post.



Brittany Shanice Wiggins

Britz, Branny, Brit
July 16, 1989
Elkton, Maryland
Cancer

"Never give your only dream up, because it's a great challenge to find the exact one you want to be"

Winter Cheerleading (2), Peer Mediator (4), Drama Stage Crew (4), Literature Club (3 4)

I hereby bequeath.. my great sense of fashion to Chenae Ladlee; my best top-secret conversations to Gabriela Munguia

Favorite High School Memory: My good friend, Gabby, and I went to Haunted House in Pennsylvania. I told her to act like a blind person while I lead her through the Haunted House. Guess what? The man tried to scare Gabby but he found out that she was blind so he took off his mask to protect her because he thought she couldn't see anything in the dark. Gabby kept acting like a blind person. When the man left, I laughed so hard. It was totally hilarious. I will never forget that moment with Gabby.

WE ARE THE SENIORS AND
WE DOMINATE THE SCHOOL!

Class of 2008 officers

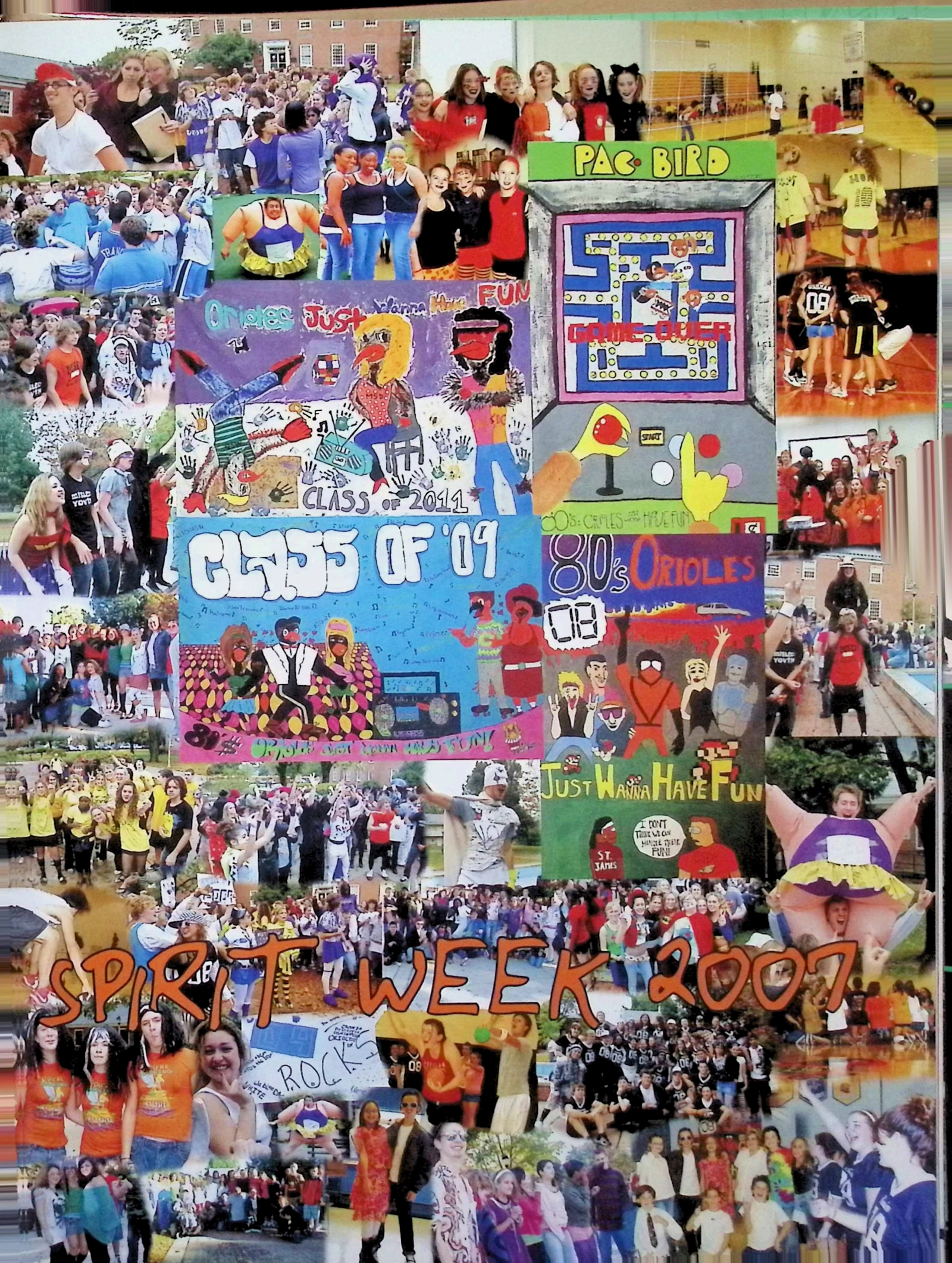
President: Emilia Nowalski
Vice President: Antonio Bush
Secretary: Brittany Frank
Treasurer: Allison Weiner
Sergeant: Erica Hill
SBG Class Representative: Stephanie Kurth and Antonio Bush

Class Color: Black and White

Class of 2008 Sponsors

Ryan Zarembka

Cynthia Stieffenhofer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GAME OVER
START
Orioles Just Wanna Have FUN
CLASS OF 2011
CLASS OF '09
80's ORIOLES
08
JUST WANNA HAVE FUN
I DON'T THINK WE CAN HANDLE THAT FUN!
ST. JAMES
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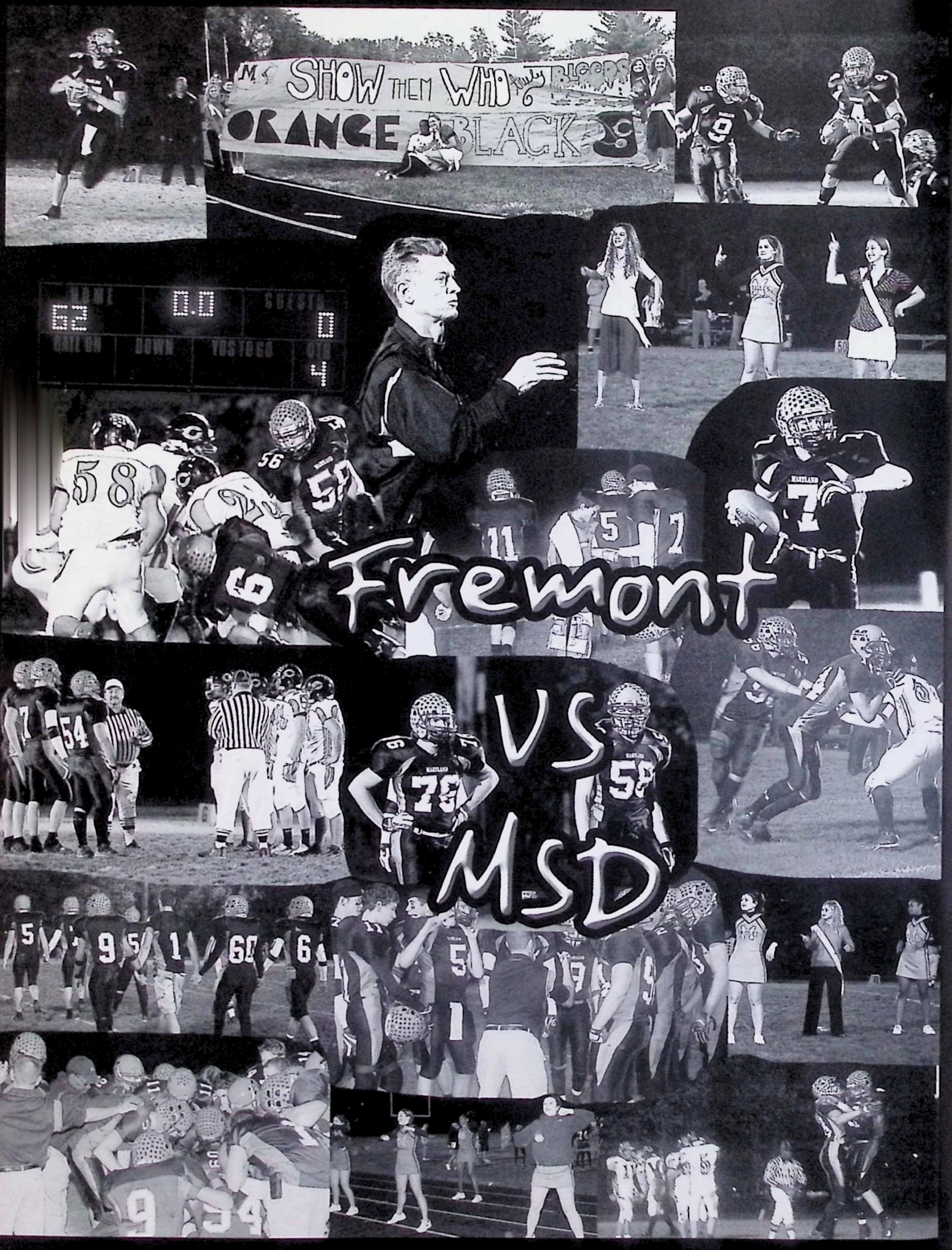
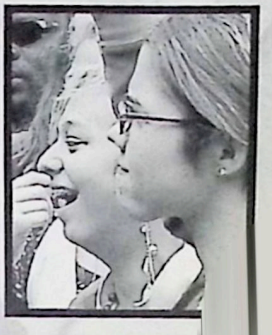
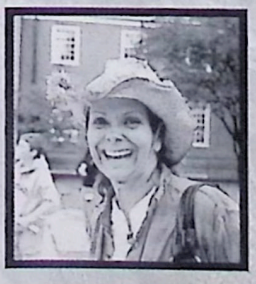
SPIRIT WEEK 2007

WELCOME
St James...
St. James
VS
MSD


SHOW THEM WHO
ORANGE
BLACK
Fremont
VS
MSD



"Laugh a lot, and when you're older, all your wrinkles will be in the right places"



Organization and Clubs

Peer Mediator

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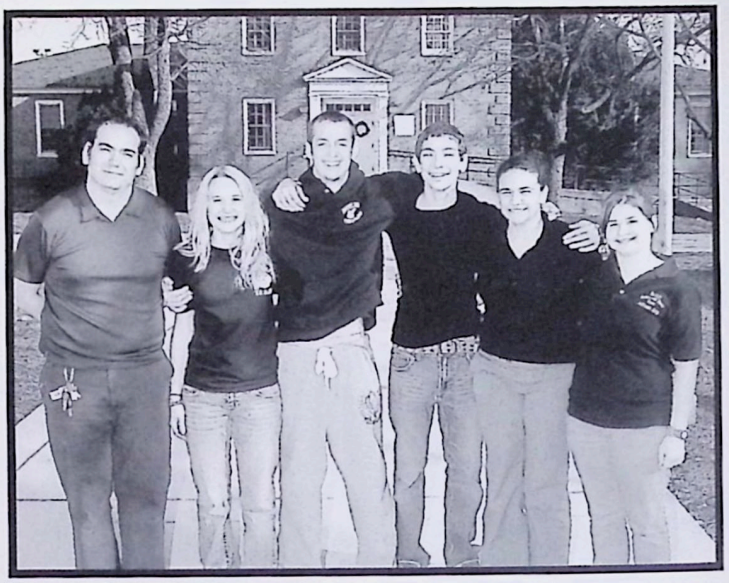
Middle Row From L to R: Sabrina Roult, Danielle Berrigan, Lauren Benedict
Front Row From L to R: Jackie Coffren, Brittany Wiggins, Jenna Richmond, Sponsor Nancy Lewis

Academic Bowl



From L to R: Coach Patrick Rosenburg, Christy Hediger, Kevin Berrigan, Todd Bonheyo, Andrea Amati, Allison Weiner
Missing: Asst. Coach Christopher Kaftan

JrBDA

Front Row from L to R: Brianna Buie, Natalie Jones, President Tykera Ward, Portia Gantt, Chetana Senadhira
Middle Row from L to R: Sponsor Ronnie Taylor, Danielle Harris, DeAndre White, Kevin Sumpter
Top Row from L to R: Christopher Shaw, Michael Knight, Wade Lawson, Sponsor Lisa Smith, Vice President Christina Santiful, Lauren Simmons, Joshua Harper, Treasurer Jared Hoel, Vanishe Bunchanan
Missing: Secretary De'Jon McCutcheon

Student Body Government

Chanel Gleicher, President

Lauren Wahl, Vice President

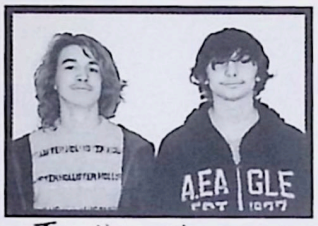
Michelle Mansfield-Hom, Secretary

Celine Daze, Treasurer

Bethany Weiner, Secretary of Academic Affairs and Student Welfare

Rachella Shephard, Secretary of Extra-Curricular Activities

Freshman Class Representative



Jonathan Clapp and Dan Mabashov

Sophomore Class Representative

Tandy Lewis and Hillary Frankowiak

Junior Class Representative

Alyssa Romano and Jessica Israel

Senior Class Representative

Stephanie Kurth and Antonio Bush

Jr. National Association of the Deaf

Celine Daze, President

Back Row from L to R: Sponsor Nan Cronk-Walker, Roy Barron, Josiah Withrow, Jarvis Grindstaff, Ryan Schwalb, Shayna Unger, Danielle Berrigan, Emilia Nowalski, Jessica Feldman, Brittany Frank
Third Row from L to R: Sponsor Linda Stoltz, Claire Tucker, Allison Weiner, Hillary Frankowiak, Rachella Shephard, Chanel Gleicher, Michelle Mansfield-Hom, Tandy Lewis, Robert Harris
Second Row from L to R: Albert Tharpe III, Racquel Roult, Misty Dreumont, Honor Guest Frank TurkTiffany Bridgett, Nicole Gleicher, Jessica Israel
Front Row from L to R: Brandon McMillan, Alyssa Romano, Lauren Benedict, Jon Clapp
Missing: Sponsor Jeanette Zarembka

Chanel Gleicher, Secretary

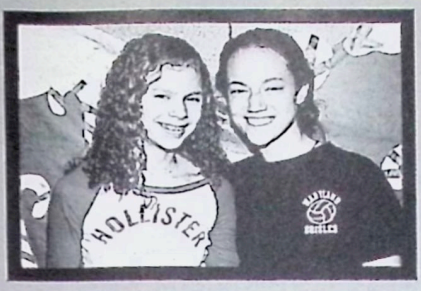
Brandon McMillan, Vice President

Robert Harris, Treasurer

The Legend of Sleeping Hollow

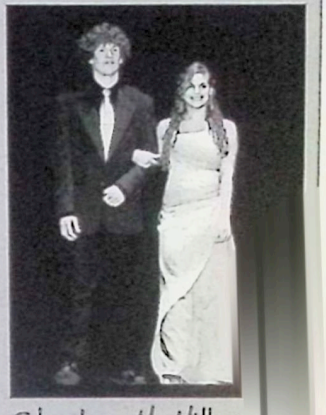
rom L to R: Dan Mabashov(kneeling), Tiffany Bridgett, Jonathan Clapp, Brittany L. Frank, Corrina Hill, Hillary Frankowiak, Jared Hoel, and Jackie Coffren

Mr & Miss MSD Pageant

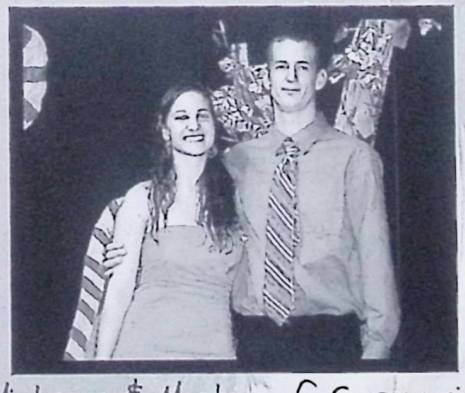


Our lovely chairpersons

Our Mr & Miss MSD
Clayton Grossinger &
Chanel Gleicher

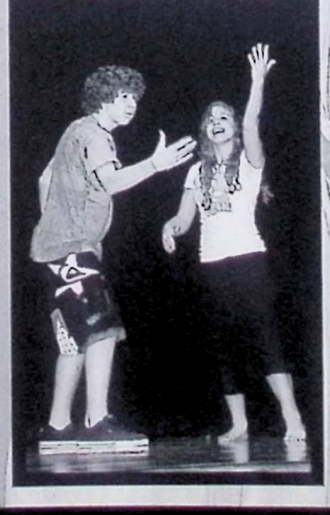


Clayton McMillan
Shayna Unger



Mistress & Master of Ceremonies
Lauren Benedict & Kevin Berrigan

Gregg McConville &
Tiffany Bridgett



The Judges

BAD HABITS ARE HARD TO BREAK

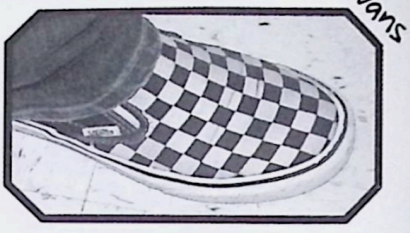
Using Pager

Tripping others

Talking in classes

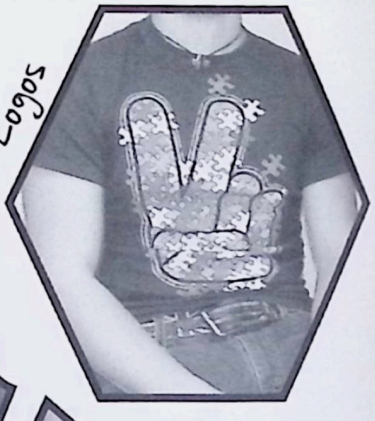
Using the Pom-Pom

Sitting on desks

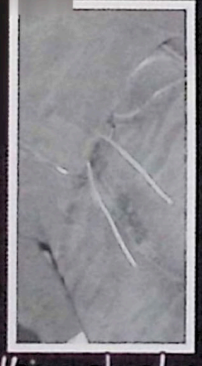


Vans

Flirting



Logos



Using shoelace as a belt

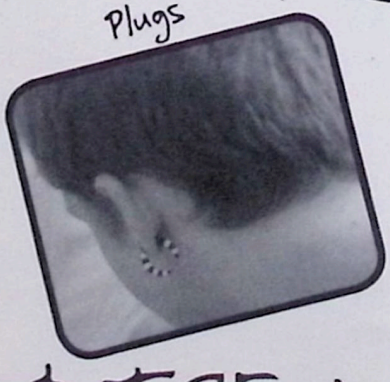
Using the elevator

Skinny Jeans

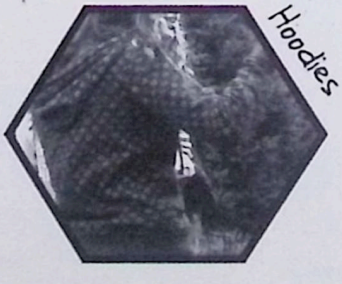
Boots

Converses

Biting nails



Plugs



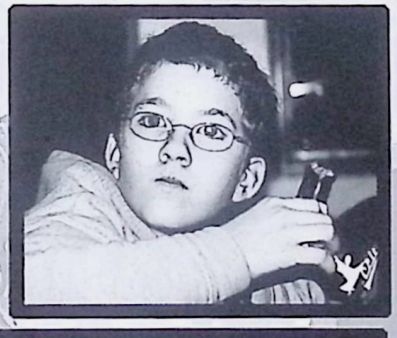
Hoodies

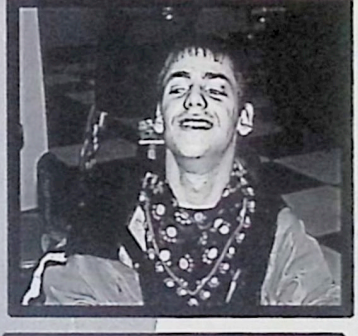
Trippy backpacks

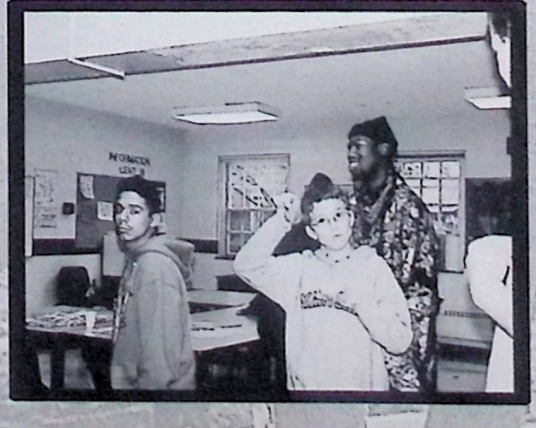
Hair styles

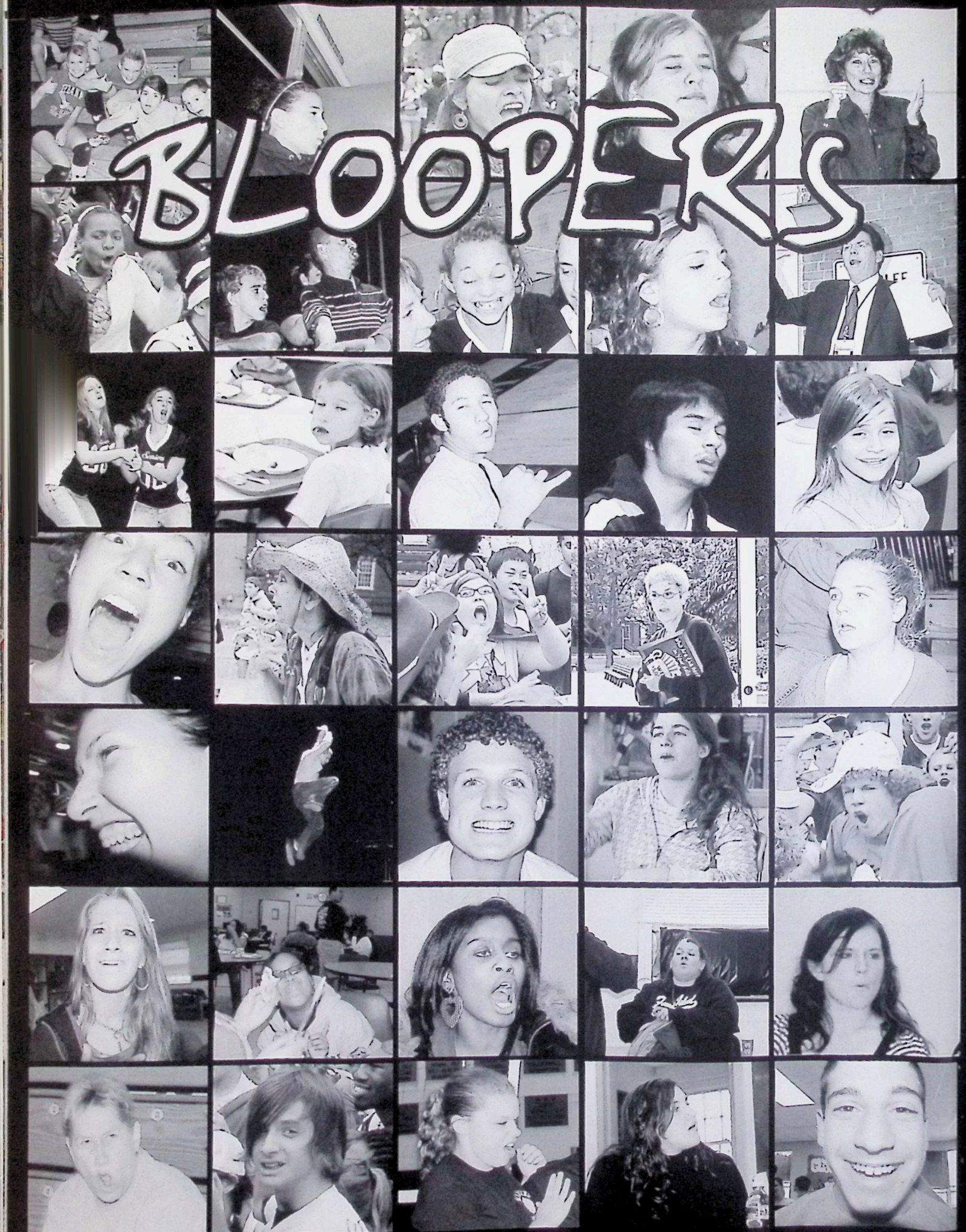
FADS & TRENDS

Student Life





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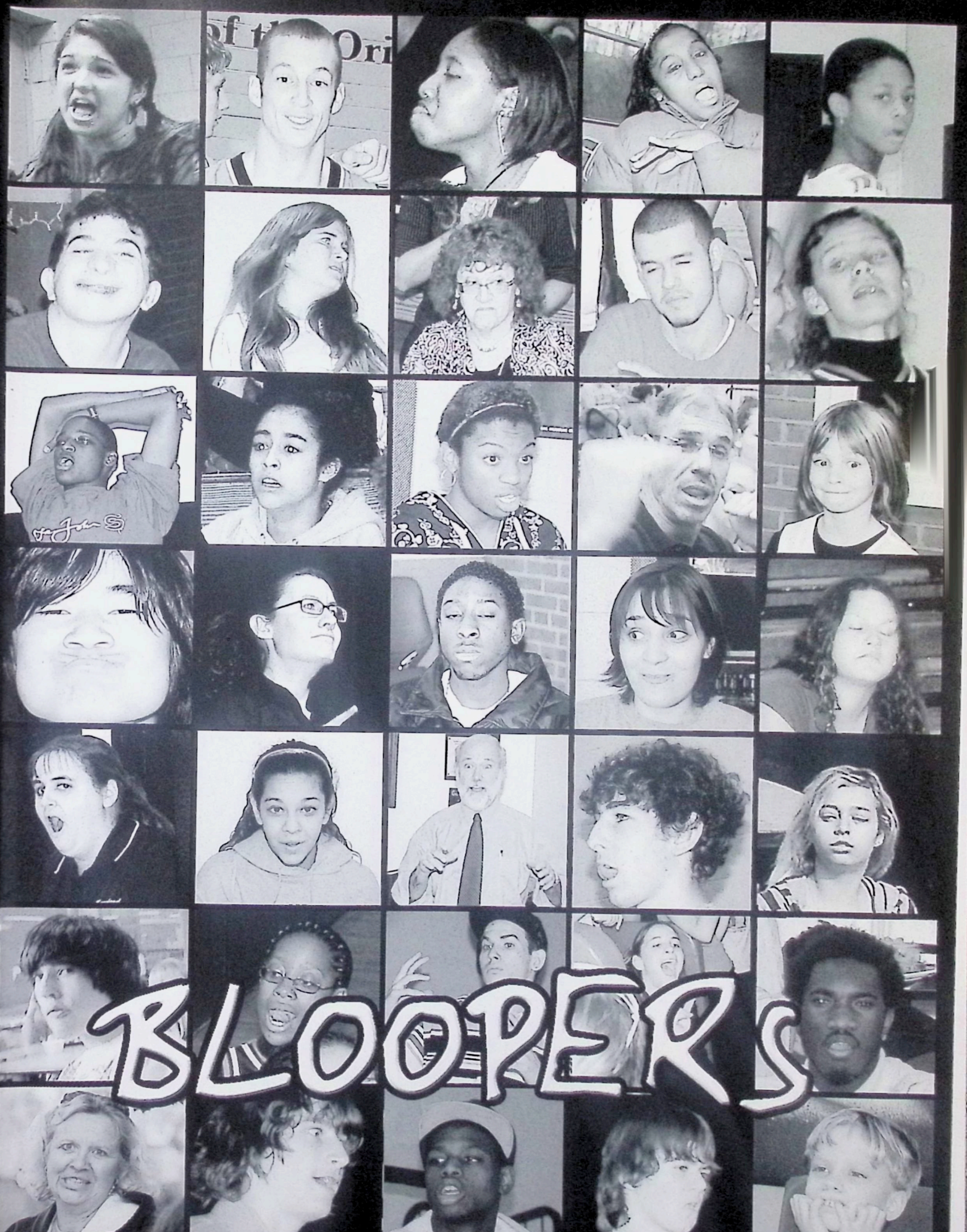
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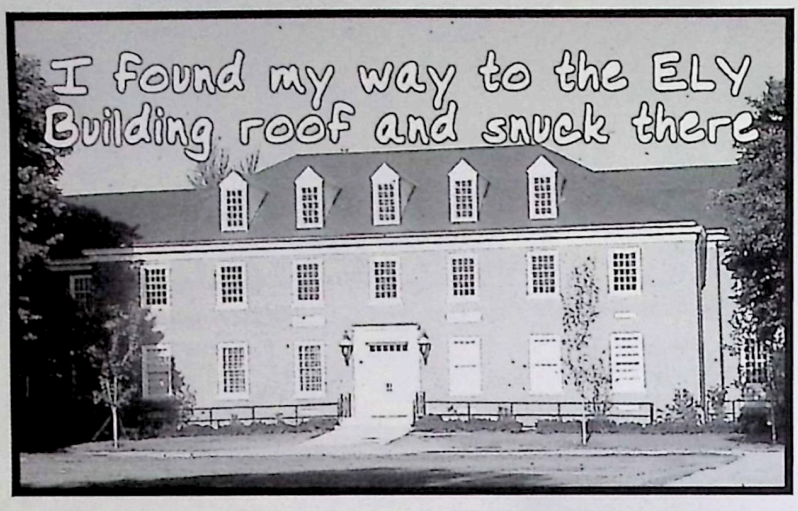
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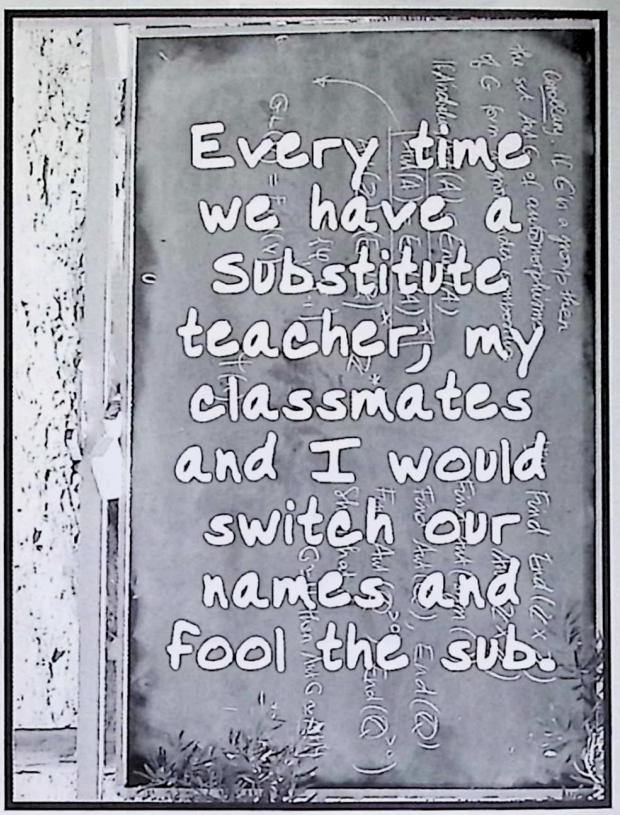
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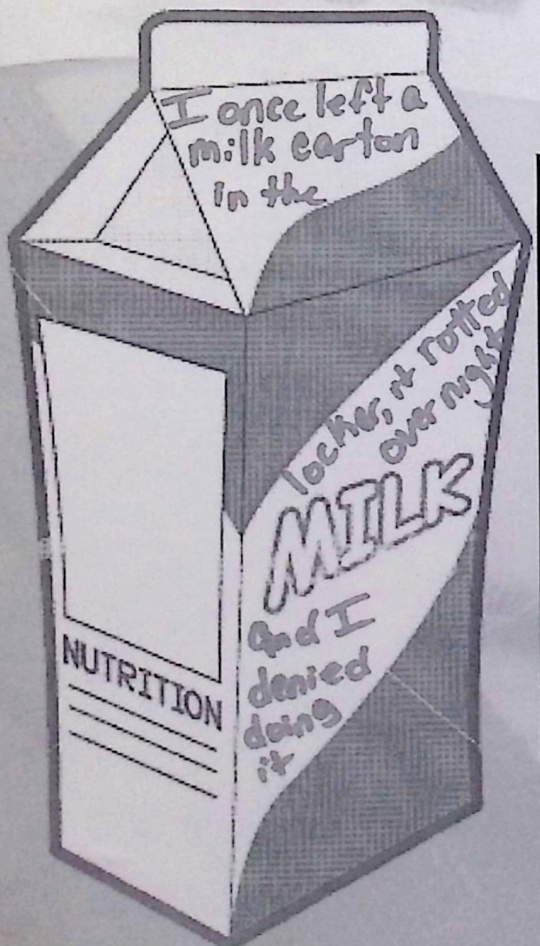
I once left a milk carton in the
locker, it rotted over night
MILK
and I denied doing it
NUTRITION

I SKIPPED LUNCH AND WENT OUT...
I GOT BACK ON TIME FOR
MY NEXT CLASS

NOTES:

I made up different notes so that when I arrive school late, I'll get excused.

Mudd Puddle

I SKIPPED A CLASS BECAUSE I WANTED TO GO TO MUDD PUDDLE...

coffee roasters & cafe

I GOT SUSPENDED FOR ENTERING THE GIRLS' LOCKER ROOM

Final Exam

Do not start until instructions says to do so.
You will have 90 minutes to complete the test.
Cheating is not allowed or you will be failed.

A+

I once cheated on a final exam. My bad.

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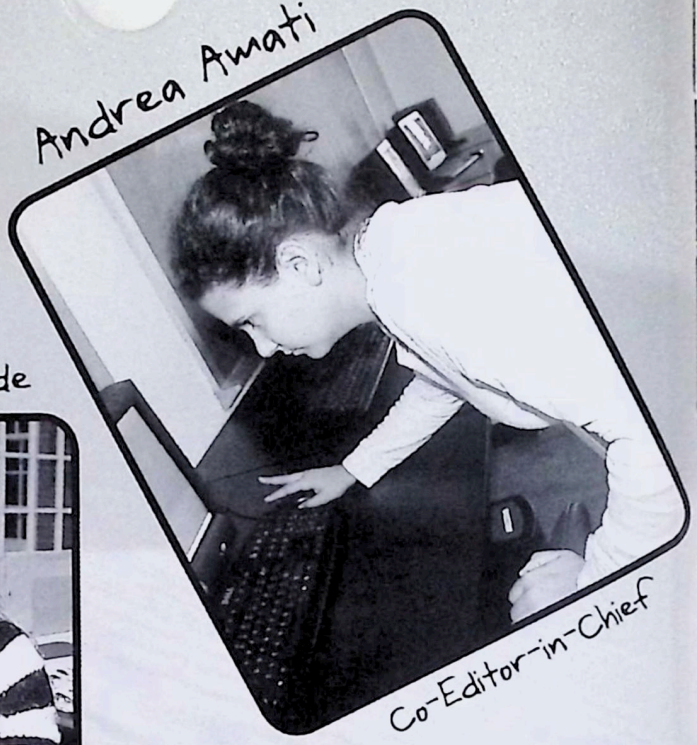

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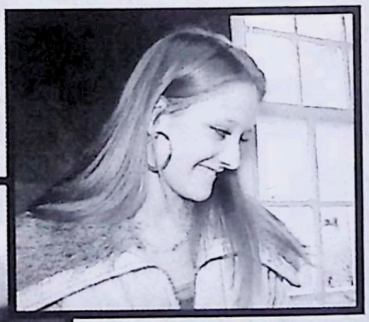

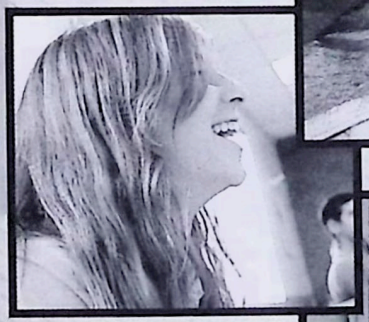

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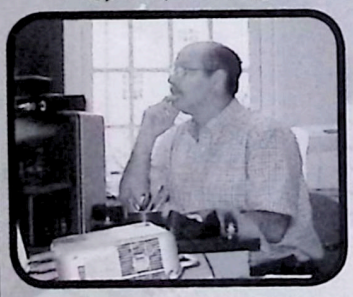

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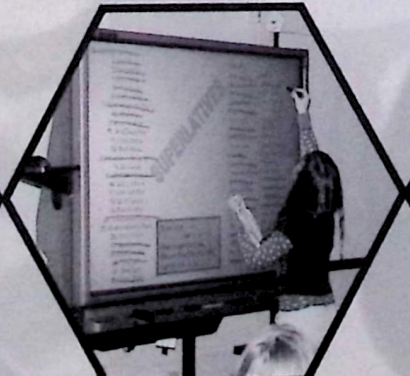


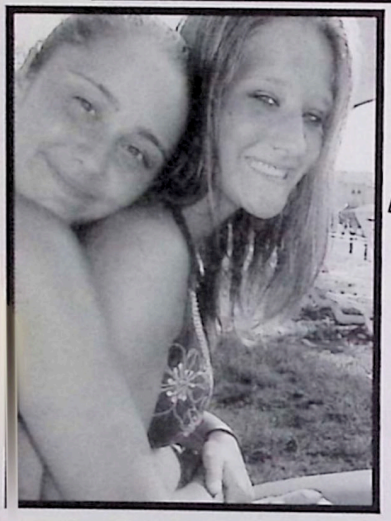
The Organizer

The Commander

Jenna Lyn, Our Shining Star!
You were once our little girl & now our shining star! You're sparkle in our eyes, the twinkle in our toes and the kiss on our hearts!
You have a smile that lights up the world and a BIG heart touching the lives of people around you! Let your light continue to shine!
"To laugh often and much; to win the respect of intelligent people and the affection of children; to earn appreciation of honest critics and endure the betrayal of false friends; to appreciate beauty; to find the best in others; to leave the world a little better; to know even one life has breathed easier because you have lived. This is the meaning of success."- Ralph Waldo Emerson
"Trust in the Lord with all of thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths." -Proverbs 3:5-6 Imparting these words of wisdom and wishing you the best of everything you do!
Congratulations!
With our unconditional love- Dad & Mom
(and Maggie, too!)

My Dear little sister, Marisa,

CONGRATULATIONS on your High School Graduation! Your High School chapter is forever OVER! Now you're stepping into a new chapter! Explore and have fun with your new Chapter and many more!



Love and Hugs,
Your Big Sister,
Kara

Tykera,

We are very proud of your accomplishments and who you've become as a young woman. You are not only a wonderful niece and cousin but an example to all of us. You've overcome challenges in your life to get you to Graduation Day and we are blessed and priviledged to be here to experience your special day.

So to you, our first niece,
CONGRATULATIONS!

Love, Uncle Buck, Aunt Tamar,
Ki-Ki, Raegan, and BJ

Tykera,

Congratulations! We are so proud of you. We know you will do great things in the future so keep the faith and follow your dreams.

Love from Grandmother & Dad

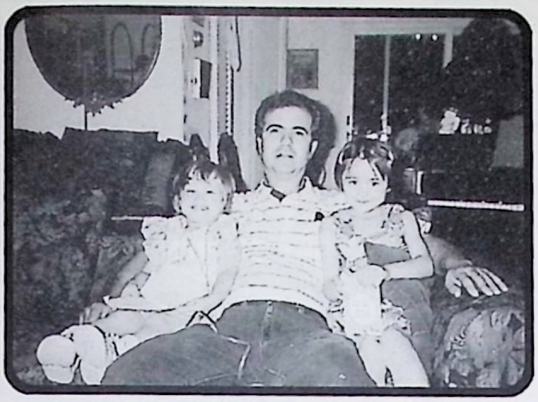
Class of 2008 is finally here!
Congratulations on your graduation, Sean.

We are very proud of you.
We love you very much.

Mom, Dad, Jenny

You have done exceptionally well Sean.
Congratulations!

Grand Ma and all the Aunties, Uncles
and Cousins



To Our Dear Daughter and Granddaughter, Marisa Rose,

Congratulations on your high school graduation! We are very proud of you.

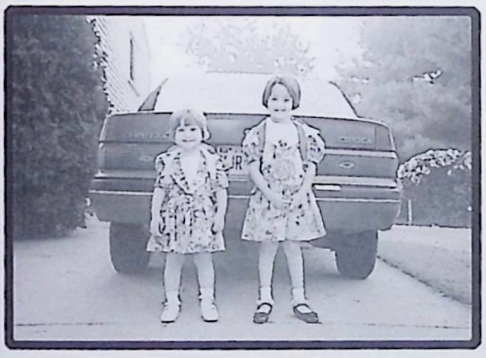
No more assignments, no more homework, and no more tests!! Now you can take a breath and reflect over your years at MSD. All the good, all the bad and everything else in between. What a learning experience it has been for you!! Your journey started from your birth in Ufa, Russia, all the way to your life in Maryland. But your challenges in life don't end here. There will be more to come as you continue to grow and learn.

We are very proud of your achievements. You have accomplished a lot and continue to accomplish more. It seems like it was just yesterday when you started on your journey through school. May you continue to find whatever endeavors your pursue. May you find success in everything you do.

GOOD LUCK, as you continue on your journey. We wish you success and happiness, wherever you go!!

Much Love and Kisses,

Mom, Dad and Granddad



Dear Jessica,

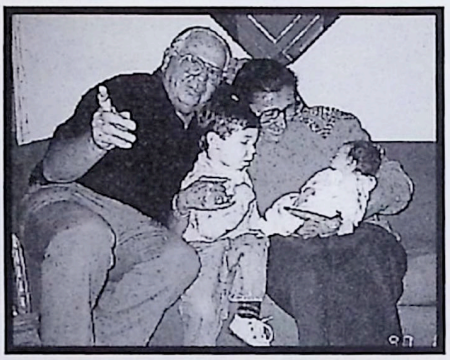
As you graduate from MSD, I as your grandmother want you to know how proud I am of your accomplishments. I wish you continued success in your college career!

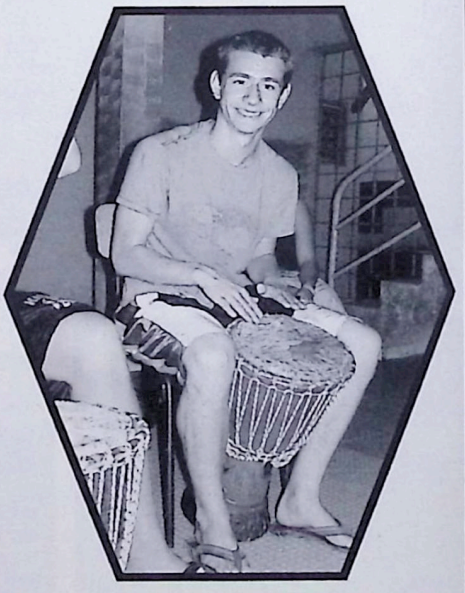
Lots of love,
Mima

Dear Jessie,
Wow - a high school graduate already. It seems like only yesterday when your daddy came out of the delivery room and proudly announced "It's a girl." Now you are a bright and beautiful young lady on her way to conquer college and, we hope, the world.

Keep up the good work!

We love you,
Nana Glor and Poppa Mel





Congratulations Brady!

We are so proud of you, we knew you could do it.

Much love from Mom, Mark and Kelsey

To our darling daughter, Jessica (aka "Jessssssiiieeee"),

Jessie, what a truly amazingly fabulous journey we have had with you in watching you grow from a shy girl to a confident lady!

How about that time when you dressed up as Minnie Mouse for that Christmas show with your first Pre-Kindergarten class and you sat down on the stage right away? Our friend tried to get you up to do your line and you refused. Was that a sign of your now-evident strong-minded character?

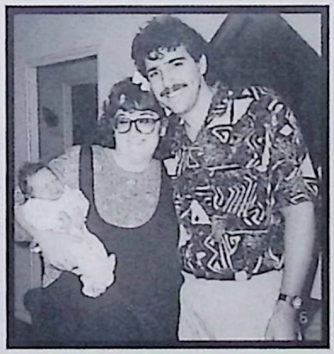
Fast forward to your Senior Homecoming where you co-hosted a "show" with your friend as part of your skit in front of a huge audience at MSD! You sure showed us and everyone how confident and outgoing you were that night!

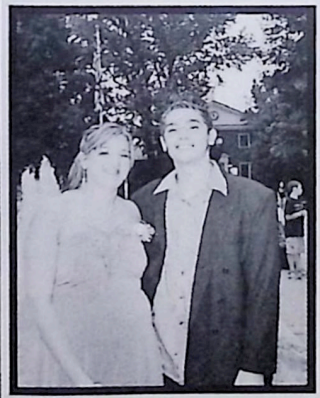
Part of what made who you are is all those memories and mementos: your favorite pink Gund bear (the one you lost twice in Pittsburgh and New York); that pacifier of yours; your favorite purple dinosaur friend, Barney; the little pillow that you loved to sleep with; your love for music and interpreting songs: Spice Girls (now in vogue), LeAnn Rimes, Britney Spears, the Hansons; dressing up; your love for shoes (these days, boots!); playing "cashier" and "doctor;" you different forays in sports (gymnastics, soccer, basketball, volleyball, cheerleading); your sprained wrist from gymnastics; your love for drawing and coloring (especially tattoos!); cooking; and trips to Toronto, Chicago, Florida, California, Indiana, etc!

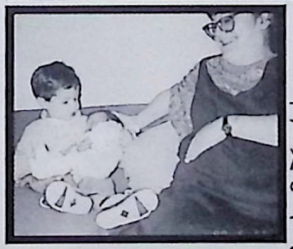
You have done so much to make us so proud of you! Your list of accomplishments is still growing: your art awards from Chicago; your Golden Hands Award in 5th Grade; your Most Outstanding Student award in 8th grade; your volunteer experiences as a sign language "instructor;" your involvement in Jr NAD (trip to Indiana for the conference!); your being elected as class president; your fabulous report cards; and your big role as the glue of our family who loves you dearly!

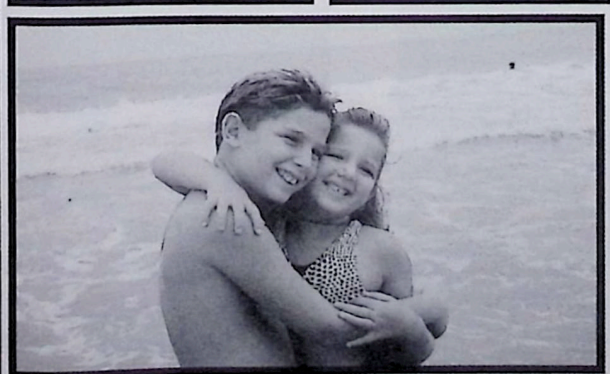
Gulp! Is it really time for you to fly out of our nest? Just remember that you have plenty of round-trip free tickets to our nest!!! We know that you love us a great deal and we love you, too! We know that you will continue on the road of success and all we want for you is to enjoy life to the fullest!

All our love,
Mommy and Daddy









Jess - Well, sis, it's been a heck of a ride, huh? It feels like only yesterday Mom came home from the hospital with you in her arms, and now you're a woman, about to join me up in D.C. where you'll finally begin your college years. I can't wait to have you with me, sis. If you'd asked me five years ago if we'd be as close as we are today, I would have probably laughed in your face and asked if you were being serious. But today I'm thankful to have you as one of my closest friends. You really have grown and matured over the years, and I couldn't be any happier to see the woman you've become. You're one of my closest friends, and you're my ear when I need to talk, you're my shoulder when I need one to lean on, you're the first person I show my writing to, and I know your opinion always counts. Here's to the past eighteen years for you at MSD, Jess, and here's to a new chapter for you at Gallaudet! See you in D.C., sis!

Your brotha, Joshy-Woshy

Congratulations, Colin!

It's hard to imagine you are now a Senior and graduating from high school. The world out there beckons you with all the wonders and promises that it holds.

In all your pursuits, always remember to aim high and keep your eyes on the Lord.

We love you,
Mom, Dad, and Corinna
Pudge and Pepper

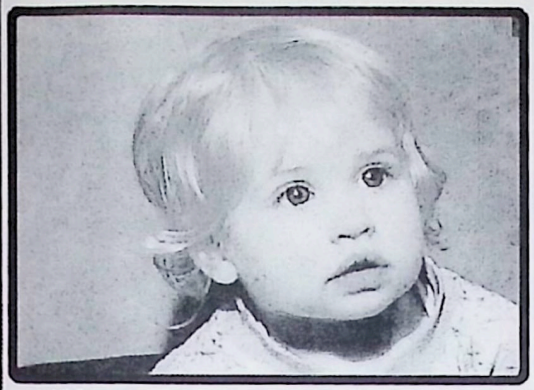
To my daughter,
Natalie,
Congratulations!

The time has finally come to celebrate how well you have worked so hard learning to communicate, accept your deafness, do very well in school, make good grades, and make the honor roll. I love you very much and I am so proud of you. I hope you continue your education and all of your dreams come true.

Love, Mommy

Congratulations, Bobby! It is hard to believe you are graduating already. You have been such a blessing to our family. You have touched each of us in a very special way. We are so proud of all you have accomplished. You have shown us that there is nothing you cannot do.
We know you are going to continue doing well as you go off to pursue your dreams. We love you very much.
Love, Dad, Mom and Brandon

"Wherever you go, go with all your heart."-Confucius



Allison,
I am so proud of you and I know Grandma Weiner would have been overjoyed too.
Love Grandpa Weiner

Wishing you success upon success,
Love Grandma and Grandpa Ballard

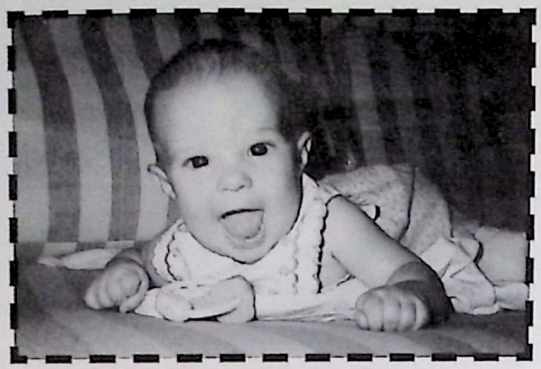
Dear Allison,
Congratulations on your graduation. We are so proud of you.
Love,
Uncle Steve, Aunt Tammy, Cousins Sarah and Josh

Dearest Allison,
It is amazing to see how much you have grown up. You have always been an independent thinker and done what you believed was right. Never sacrifice your beliefs and principles as you continue through this wonderful journey of life.
We Love You!
Mom and Dad

Go Allison! It's just the beginning of your wonderful life!
Congratulations on your graduation. We'd wish you luck, but you have brains, and they tend to take you further!
You rock!
All our love,
AJ, UN, Erin & Cassie

Allie,
After all we've been through I am proud to call myself your little sister. What I really will miss the most is how we would laugh at every stuipd little thing. Come home sowe can laugh together.
Your Little Sister

The best part about growing up is learning that it is okay to be cute and smart and the hardest part is organizing your life to include both your social life and your intellectual life. It's great knowing that you can do it!
Love, Aunt Lynda and Uncle Bill

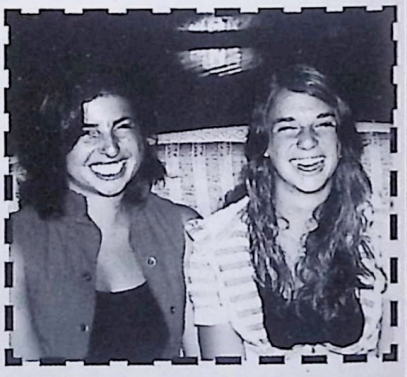


Since you arrived on earth, we have enjoyed watching your fascination with animals, care for all kinds of people, dives for digs, three-pointers, daily laughter with family and friends, and so much more. We beam with pride to see you blossom from an adorable little girl to a lovely, independent woman.

We are proud of your accomplishments in life and who you have become today. Congratulations, Brittany!

We love you.
Mom & Dad

Lil sis,
You know you'll always be my favorite. How could you not be? You're my only sister! Graduation is coming along and you've done it all, but your college years will be the times you don't forget about. Live the questions now, and you'll grow up wiser than ever (than me, at least).



Of course, how could I not congratulate you for graduating from high school and making your mark the way you did? Gallaudet's ready to welcome you with open arms and I cannot wait to have you with me all of next year. I love you, lil sis.

Love, Jessica

Hey Sis,
Congratulations! I'm going to be all alone at home for another 3 whole years now until I graduate. But I guess there are always pluses for me having you gone and you having me gone. Having you gone will be good for me because even though you might not have let me have your room, I will be able to screw up your car and make it my own. Now having me gone will be good for you because you'd probably love to take a big, long break from me. Once again, congratulations and good luck in college.

Love, Jarrod

To The One And Only Sabrina Ashley

It seems like just yesterday that you were a newborn baby in
our arms. Life is a journey with so many unexpected surprises,
and it goes by so quickly. We did our best to celebrate every
event and milestone with you.
Brunette hair and hazel eyes
Great dimples, double on the left side
Beautiful smile with perfect lips
With brains, looks and style
Life will be a challenge and an adventure
You are a great independent young lady
Love animals, music, volleyball, chapstick and wallets
With your goals in sight, you will reach and aim high
and live to fulfill your dreams!
Everyone in the family, including the dogs and special friends love you.
You're so caring and lovable in every way. Loves to live, laugh and be carefree.
We are very lucky you are a part of our lives!
Your life means the most to us! Enjoy exploring your new journey in life.
The rope between us will never be cut- it will just be a longer rope instead.
We are extremely proud of you, dearest daughter.
With our love, a lot of happiness and luck to give you a great start!!!

Love always,
xoxoxo
Mom and Dad

Oh, how the days are filled with countless memories
Us fighting, laughing, talking
Comparing who had the ultimate kind of toys
Racing against each other
when we were just teeny kids
We would have those fights everyday
where you would pull my hair and I'd bite you
Our pretty battery running jeep
which we'd ride in with our see-through umbrellas
And laughing at the most nonsensical things together
Oh, how they say time change things
But for us, it just makes us closer
Our fashion debates
Turned into our late night talks daily
Distance is not going to mean a thing between us
It's only going to bring us closer
Our late night talks will soon
be replaced with late night pager talks
But you're going to be my sister and my best friend
No matter what happens, we stick through thick and thin.

I love you always,
Racquel Valerie

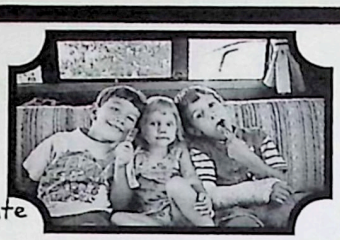
XOXO,

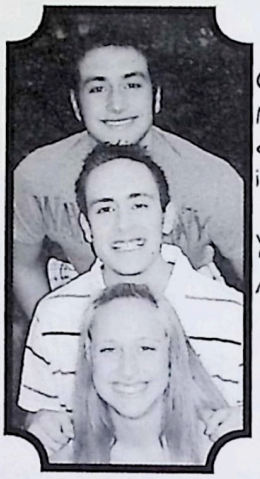
Casey

Misty

Céline,
I cannot believe the time has come where you are graduating high school. You have accomplished so much from Ms. Deaf Teen America to Senior Princess. Your determination has led to so many amazing experiences like YLC and you have been fortunate enough to travel the world. Celine-Beanie, the time has come for you to graduate from being my *hair stylist* to pursuing all of your dreams with your whole heart. I'm confident that you will find your place in this world and I will always be here for you during the tough moments. Always go forward, but don't forget to look back every once in a while to where you've been and where you've come from.

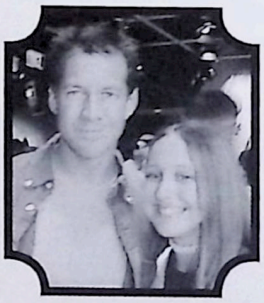
Love,
Pete





Celine
I still mean what I said on my graduation day, you're still the most important person in my life. I love you always.

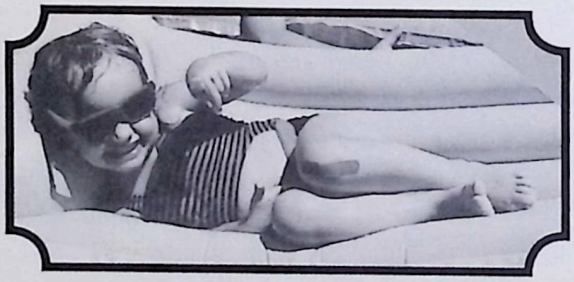
Your brother,
Michel



Celine...We are mighty proud of you!
Congratulations!
With our love,
Dad & Grandmother

CELINE,
Seventeen years ago you were born into our family. A little girl with bright blue eyes and blond colored hair. As the years have gone by, we realize that you have many special gifts. You are also very bright, with the ability to master the intellectual pursuits in which you wish you have grown to endeavor into a beautiful, intelligent, and compassionate young lady. You have worked very hard for this day. Remember, you can do anything you put your mind to. Congratulations on your graduation. We are very proud of you and all accomplishments. Continue to BELIEVE! DREAM! ACHIEVE! BE HAPPY! We love you very much.

\m/ MOM and Bill \m/



Céline,

You're finally graduating! It's hard to believe that we first met when you were a freshman and now you're moving on to college. We've had a lot of great times together between going to sports bars, relaxing in the hot tub, and having girl talks. As you reach for your goals I'm always here to support you whether it's watching you cheer, listening to your stories, or doing some serious shopping-therapy. Never forget who you are and always dream of what you can be.

Love, Your Big Sister Sarah

Stephanie,
So much work that we have done
So many problems that we have overcome
Now we can put that all behind us
For now is the time for you to shine.

Now we're watching you graduate--
The grown young woman we helped create!
On wings of knowledge you will fly;
Following your vision and rising high.

Stephanie,
We could not be prouder of you.
We wish you success in all that you endeavor to do.
We want you to remember and be assured of one thing:
OUR LOVE AND SUPPORT WILL BE
WITH YOU WHEREVER YOU GO!
Love you always and forever
Mom & Dad
and sister Karelie

To my granddaughter Stephanie,
Congratulations on your graduation day.
I'm very proud that you are my granddaughter.
May God bless you and protect you always.

Lots of love and best wishes,
Abuelita Carmen

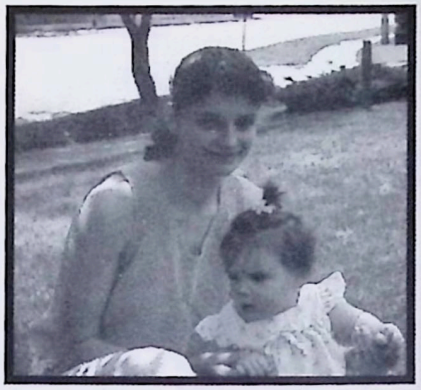
Jacqueline Victoria Coffren

To Chicken Little,

It's been a wild ride getting you to graduation, but you made it! Words cannot express how proud I am of you! I might not have always told you, but you mean the world to me! You're a great kid!! I'm proud to be YOUR mum!!

Love ya with all I have,

Mom (aka: your older sister)



To My Granddaughter,

I'm very PROUD of you! Keep up the good work. And good works and you will go far. You can accomplish and be anything you wish. CONGRATULATIONS girl!!

Love forever,

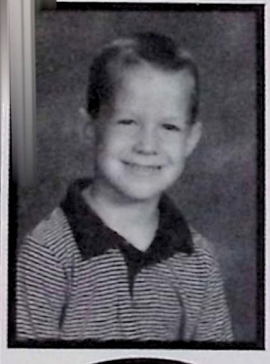
Grandma Hodge

To My Great-Niece,

Congratulations on a job well done! Best of luck on life's road ahead!

Love,

Uncle Karl



Kevin Doherty Xavier Berrigan

All roads lead to Rome……Education is the most powerful tool which you can use to change yourself and the world. With your determination and effort, education will lead you to a glorious future. We know you can - **Just Do It!** Thanks for the wonderful and memorable years that you have brought to your family and MSD!

With our deepest pride and love,

Dad, Mom, Krystle ('04), Diana ('05), and Danielle ('09)

Uncle Ed

Jackie...Way to go!!! Congratulations

Jackie,

Congratulations! We are extremely proud of you and all that you have accomplished as a young adult.
We still remember when you were just a little baby being pushed around in a stroller at our wedding. Now, you are a grown-up and ready to explore the "real world".
We know you will do great things whichever path you choose to follow in life. In fact, you have already done a great deal. you've volunteered to help restore trails, been in two plays, worked at a local store, traveled to Senegal to support deaf students and the list goes on.
We realize the future holds a lot of promise for you and that you are capable of doing anything that you put your mind to. There will be challenges; there always are :)
But we are confident that you will meet them head on and succeed in all areas of life. Remember that we love you and we'll support you forever!

Love,
Aunt Jeanette and Uncle Paul

Congratulations Jackie!

We have watched you grow up from a little kid to a fine young lady. We're really proud of all of your accomplishments and we know you will do well in whatever you decide to do in life.

Lots of love from Aunt Fay and Uncle Orville

Jackie,

You are and have always been an inspiration to us. We wish you much happiness in the future. Congratulations!

Love,
Uncle Gene and Aunt Mary

Hi Jaybird,
Congratulations!! Graduation at last! Wow - what a ride it has been.
We watched you go to your first day of pre-school as a toddler and now we see you as a young lady graduating from high school. We have been blessed to share all of these years with you and we look forward to seeing what you do in the future.
As you move forward with your life please remember to:
Keep your sense of faith - God is always with you - a good friend to talk to!
Keep your sense of humor - it's one of the things that's special about you!
Keep your sense of adventure - life is exciting!
Keep your sense of direction - to all you want out of life - we support you always.

We love you and we are extremely proud of you.
Always and Forever ~ Until space ends... WE LOVE YOU...Pops and Grandma

Jackie,

We are so proud of what you have accomplished. You have taken each day by day and made the best you could out of it. Always remember not to live in the past but to look into the future. Set your goals high and do the best you can at everything you do. And when you're done go back and do it a little better. Be strong, stay focused, but most importantly be yourself! Congratulations!!!

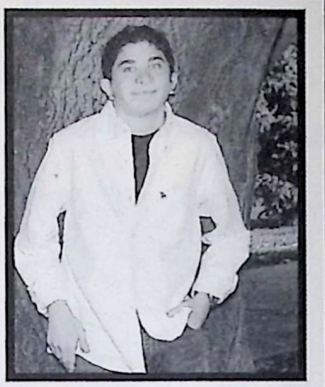
We love you,
Dad, Sherry, Justin, Bryan and Stephen

Jared, I want you to know how proud we are of you. You have become a fantastic young man. It seems like just yesterday that you were playing with Harry and pretending to be super-man. Then it was on to wrestling and now you are graduating. Always remember that you can be whatever you want to be and never forget your dreams.

We love you,

Mom, Dad, Jeremy and Jordan

Ryan,



YOU DID IT!

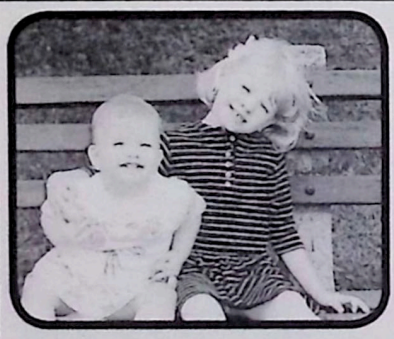
You should be very proud of this incredible achievement.

We all love you very much.

There is no mountain you can't climb when you put your mind to it!

We love you!

Mom, Dad, Julia, and Sydney



Congratulations to my beloved Emilia,

You have reached your milestone to graduate! I am looking forward to have you around at Gallaudet University.

Achieve your dreams! Study hard!.

Love, your sister, Nikki

Our little darling Emilia,

We are so proud of your achievements. Your strive throughout many different schools from baby to now. You made it today!

The next step in which you are ready for is to have a big adventurous life.

We love you,

Mom & Dad

Dear my one and only sister,

Where did the time go?! I could remember so well when we were fighting over a pretty ponytail and you got me a scar. Those times when we were roommates and we sure made our little brother jealous of us. I'll miss having you driving around for me, stealing your clothes and those talk we had together. Please make sure when you are at Gally, try to practice to scream less :) Love you tons xoxox your little sister Shayna.

Congrats Amelia!

Hugs,
Uncle Skipper, Aunt Susan,
cousins Dani and Lauren

Dear Amelia,

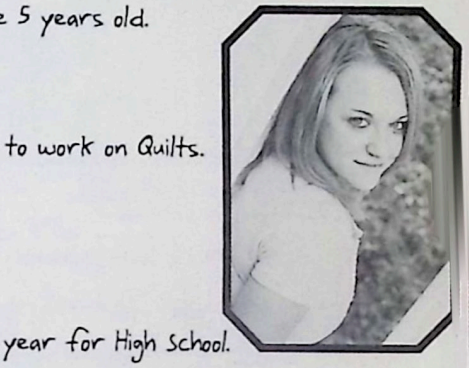
We are all so proud of you Amelia, wishing you the best in all you do in life!

Lots & lots of love,
Uncle Jim, Aunt Amy,
Randi & Buster

We remember the day you were born, we were proud to have you in our lives.
We remember the day you saw your new sister, Shayna Rose when you were 2 years old.
We remember the day you went to school for the first time when you were 3 years old.
We remember the day you saw your new brother, Chad when you were 4 years old.
We remember the day you and your sister went to school together when you were 5 years old.
We remember the day you rode your bike without training wheels.
We remember that you played T-Ball and soccer. You love to play soccer.
We remember you loved to watch your Dad coaching H.S. Girls' basketball team
We remember you loved to be with your Mom in her sewing room and watched her to work on Quilts.
We remember the day you entered Middle School when you were 12 years old.
We remember you played volleyball and basketball at MSD.
We remember you entered MHS as a freshman and stayed there for a year.
We remember many things that you did, went through, travelled, and much more.
We remember you went through many pains like casts on your ankle and foot.
We remember you entered your 12th grade on August 27, 2007 and it is your last year for High School.
You are graduating - Class of 2008...
We are proud of you and you will always be in our hearts. We love you always!

Congratulations!

Love,
Mom (Marcia) & Dad (Andy)



Congratulations Amelia and best wishes for the future! You're a terrific girl and we know you will accomplish all your goals.

Love,
Aunt Julie, Uncle Steve,
Leah, Kara, and Luke

Yo, my older sister

What?! You are getting out of high school already? I can't believe that. I will miss when we fight over little things. You used to dress like me and we had the same clothes. I hated you for giving me your old clothes and getting yourself brand new clothes. Where did that time go? Good luck in Gally. Also, make sure you have time for practicing your shredding skills.

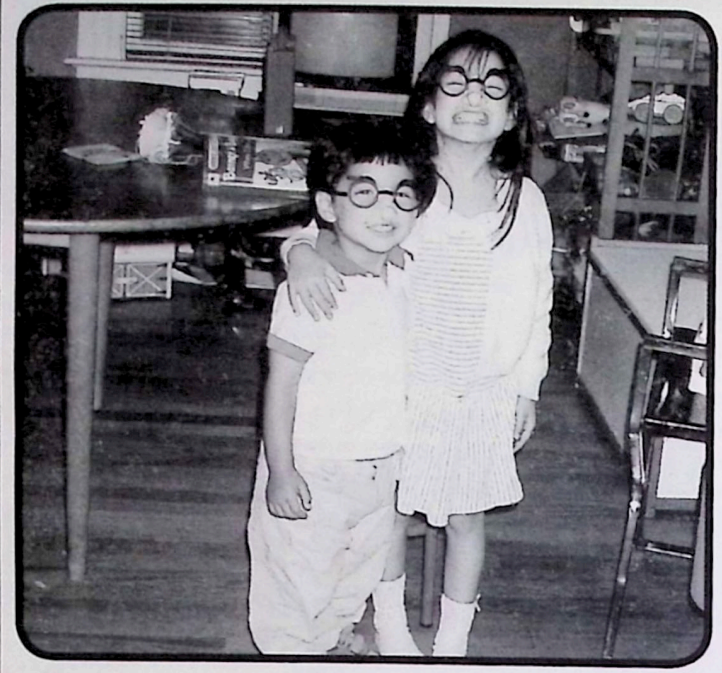
Your bro, Chad

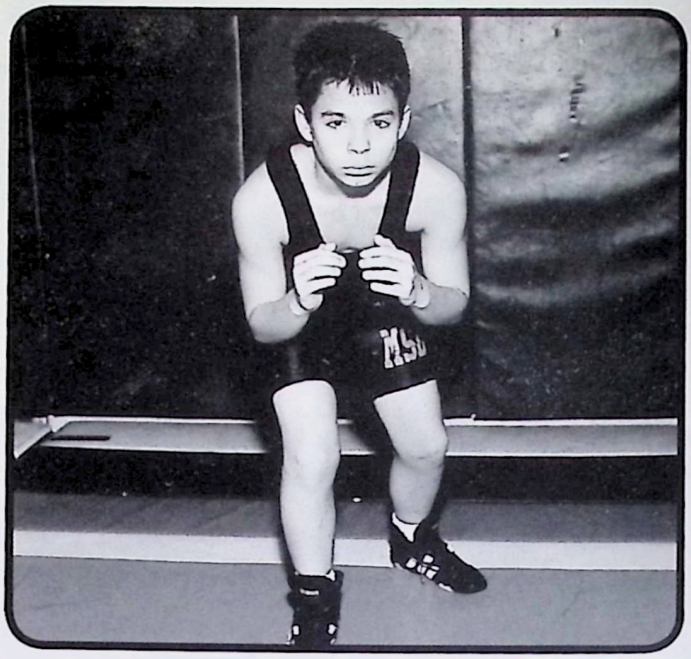
Dear Amelia -
We are very proud of you and all of your accomplishments. To see our grandchildren grow up to be responsible and caring adults is truly special. We know you will reach any goals that you set for yourself in the future. Enjoy your time at college.

Love you very much.
Grandpa & Gramma

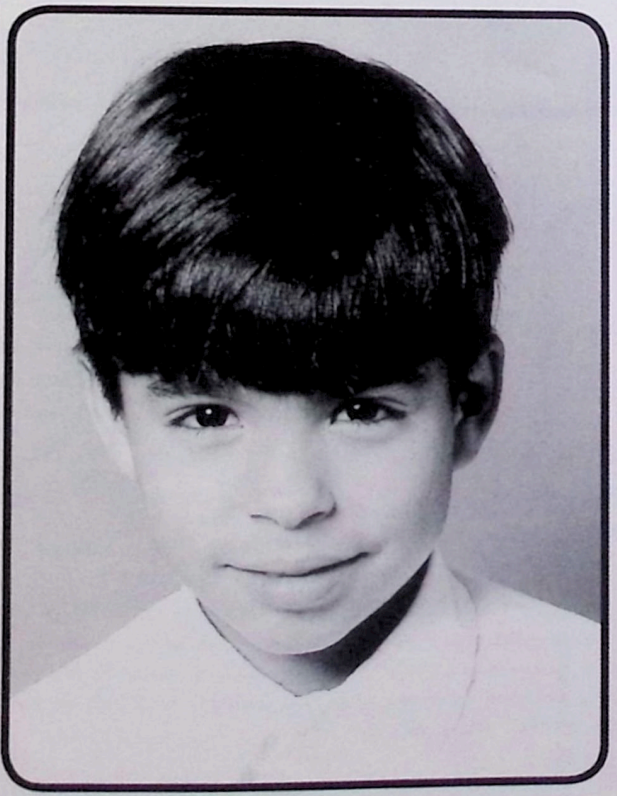
We can't believe that you're graduating from high school. Just seems like yesterday, you were a little girl. We are so proud to see how you've grown into a lovely young lady, always ready to try new things and enjoying what you have. We wish you good luck, as you move into another phase of your life.

With love Grammy Jane and Hal



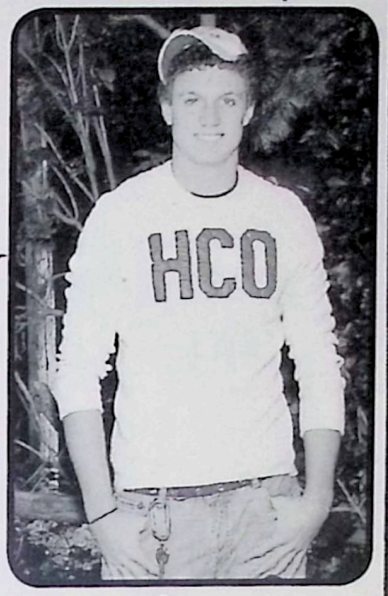


Daniel,
We enjoyed watching you grow into such an intelligent and creative young adult. You have amazing skills and talents that you would use for the rest of your life and we know you will succeed wonderfully. We are real proud of you. We look forward to watch you walk through more exciting milestones!
Love,
Mom and Dad, Leah, James,
Grammy and Papa



Brandon Thomas McMillan

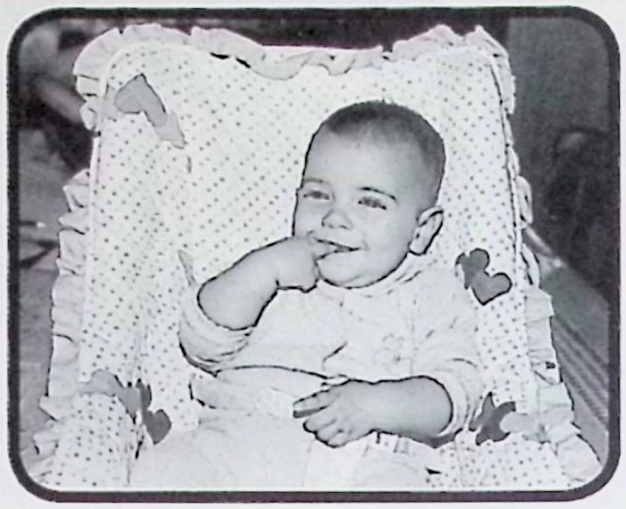
Our Dear Son, Congratulations!!! You never cease to amaze us with the respect you have truly earned due to your valuable contributions as a student athlete to the MSD community and our family! Your mother and father love you enough to give you the space of a gazelle to broaden your horizons with the following quote to guide you. According to Michael Jordan, "Passion, focusing on improvement and discipline are what we need to have ... if you try, then you can't fail. You have failed if you don't try." We trust that you will continue to be humble as you soar higher with the values of Love, Honesty and Respect for yourself and everyone around you.

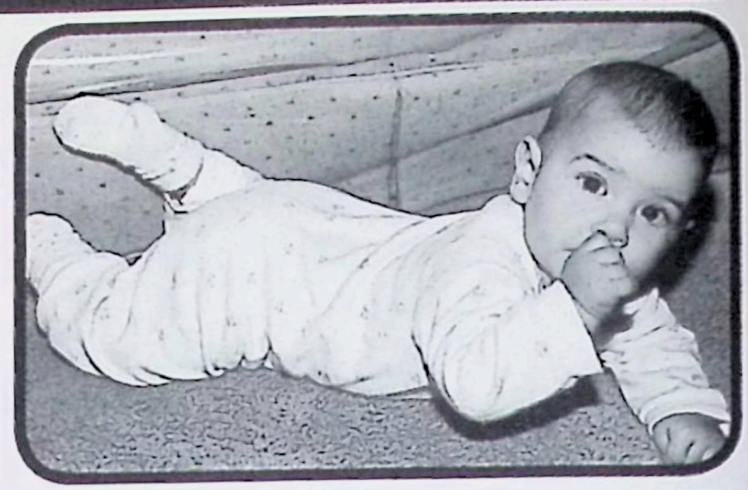


Good Luck, Son!
We love you so very much!!
Mom and Dad

Jonathan: Without your existence, life wouldn't be this gorgeous. I'm still having a hard time digesting th fact that you are graduating. I cannot wait to watc and see what kind of chapter you will be writing an the path you will be walking on after receiving the passport to freedom. When you are at Kendall Green. Brandon Thomas, I promise you that life will sweep you off your feet and kiss your soul.

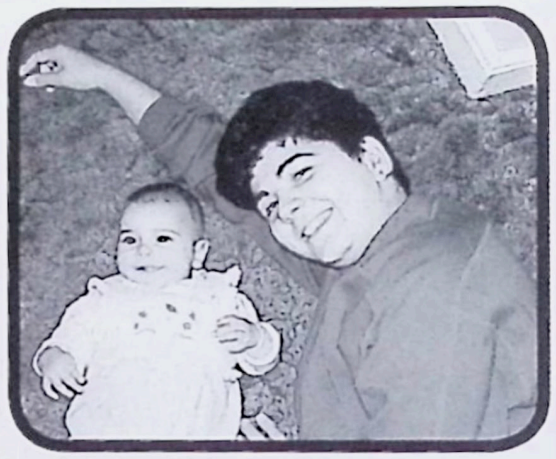
Clayton: You are, hands down, an amazing brother. I couldn't ask for more! Now, you have graduated but I will make sure that we always remember the good times we had and there's more to come. Love ya, brother.





Hey Andrea
Congratulations, you have accomplished so much in school and sports. We'll always miss watching and being your #1 fan in sports. We are so proud of you. Continue to achieve your dreams and your bright future ahead.

Love you always
Mom and Dad



For Andrea, my little monkey-
Congratulations on your graduation. I know you will go far and succeed in whatever you set your mind on.

I love you,
Grandma Jackie

For my athletic genius of a sister,

Because of you, I never had to dream of having another sister. Thank you for being next to me through the years. Watching you grow has been a pleasure, we are more alike than we thought! I can't believe you're graduating already. Congrats, I'm proud of you.

The world is yours... Love, Amanda

A YEAR IN REVIEW

2007–2008

HEADLINE NEWS

FAREWELL, LADY BIRD

The world said goodbye to Claudia Alta Taylor, a.k.a. Lady Bird Johnson, at the age of 94. Lady Bird was known for her role as the quintessential political wife. She campaigned tirelessly alongside her husband and even used her inheritance funds to assist with his bid for political office. After Lyndon Baines Johnson became the nation's 36th president, Lady Bird worked as an advocate for the beautification of America and the Head Start program.

ROVE RESIGNS

President Bush's long-time political adviser announced his resignation and left the White House in August 2007. Karl Rove was the latest in a string of administration resignations following the Democratic takeover in Congress. Rove's departure from the White House came as a result of Chief of Staff Josh Bolten's request for staffers to resign before Labor Day or commit to serving through the end of Bush's term.

QUEEN ELIZABETH HITS MILESTONE

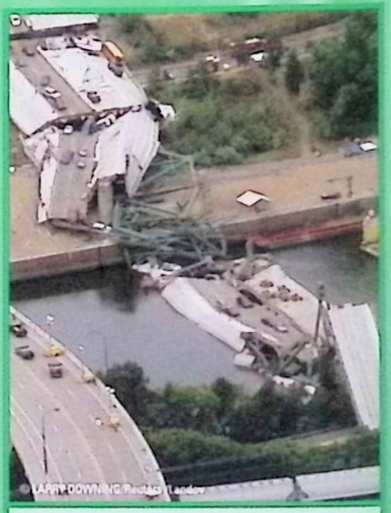
Britain's Queen Elizabeth II became the country's oldest reigning monarch when she surpassed the record set by her great-great grandmother Queen Victoria. Victoria lived 81 years and 243 days, and Elizabeth surpassed that record. However, the longest-serving monarch record still belonged to Queen Victoria, who reigned for nearly 64 years. Queen Elizabeth has served for 55 years since her coronation in 1952.

SANCTIONS FOR SECURITY

According to Iranian President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, Iran's nuclear weapon development was a closed issue. However, despite repeated demands from the U.N. Security Council, Iran did not suspend enrichment of uranium. The council responded by imposing increased sanctions on Tehran for its refusal to comply. Iran maintained that its nuclear program was aimed only toward generating electricity.

LEAD SCARE RAISES CONCERN

Chinese products fell under scrutiny after potentially dangerous levels of chemicals and toxins were found in a variety of products, ranging from pet food to children's toys. Mattel was forced to recall millions of toys made in China; other products under investigation included shrimp, commercial steel, lipstick, and Boy Scout badges. Ultimately, American companies were held responsible for the quality of their products in the marketplace, but monitoring quality was an enormous task due to the prevalence of Chinese products in the United States.



TRAGEDY IN MINNESOTA

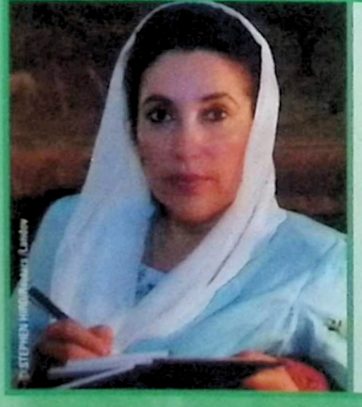
On August 1, 2007, the unthinkable happened in Minneapolis when the Interstate 35W bridge collapsed during rush hour. The 1,907-foot bridge fell into the Mississippi River and onto roadways below in less than 4 seconds. As a result, there were 145 injured and 13 lives lost. The National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB) released its first report in December, revealing that a design error resulted in undersized gusset plates for the truss bridge, which was first opened in 1967. The bridge collapse prompted an increased number of safety inspections for bridges nationwide.

SALES SLUMP

The housing market continued to battle tough times when sales by homeowners hit a record low in October. Economists pointed to the excess supply of homes on the market and adjustable rate mortgages as reasons for the slump. In December, President George W. Bush and policy makers responded by cutting the federal funds rate for the third time that year.

U.N. TROOPS TO AID DARFUR

The United Nations Security Council authorized calling up to 26,000 troops and police to supplement the 7,000 African Union force in Sudan's Darfur region. The combined United Nations-African Union operation aimed to help solve over four years of conflict in Darfur. More than 200,000 people have been killed and 2.5 million have been displaced due to the unrest and fighting in the area.



BHUTTO ASSASSINATED

Pakistan opposition leader Benazir Bhutto was assassinated after a campaign rally. Bhutto's assassination occurred just weeks before the country was to hold a parliamentary election in which she was hoping to win a third term of leadership. Bhutto, who led Pakistan from 1988 to 1990 and again from 1993 to 1996, was the first female prime minister of any Islamic state. Bhutto had been the target of several assassination attempts by Al Qaeda, the Taliban and Pakistani jihad groups.

I am the 38th Governor of California and a former Hollywood movie star.
WHO AM I?

ANSWER LOCATED ON BACK COVER

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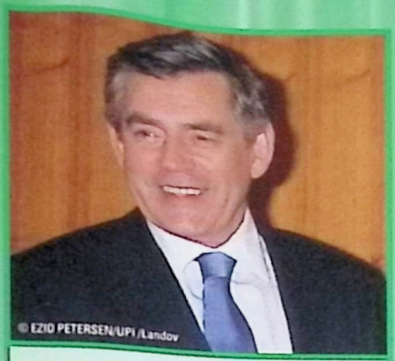

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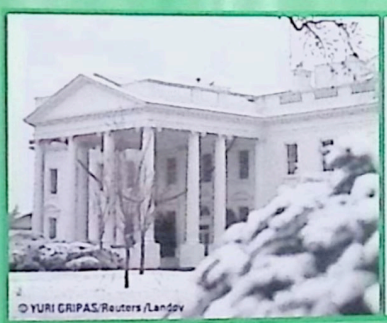
BROWN PROMISES CHANGE

After more than a decade in power, Prime Minister Tony Blair turned over No. 10 Downing Street to the new British Prime Minister, Gordon Brown. The former treasury chief promised a "new government with new priorities." The Prime Minister's call for reform included changes in international institutions to reflect the new global society and the rise of Asia.

DEMOCRACY DEFENDER DIES

Boris Yeltsin will be remembered as the man who brought democratic reform to Russia by ending over 70 years of Soviet Communism. The former Russian President died on April 23, 2007, of heart failure at the age of 76. Yeltsin won international acclaim when he stood on top of a tank in Moscow during a coup attempt against Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev.



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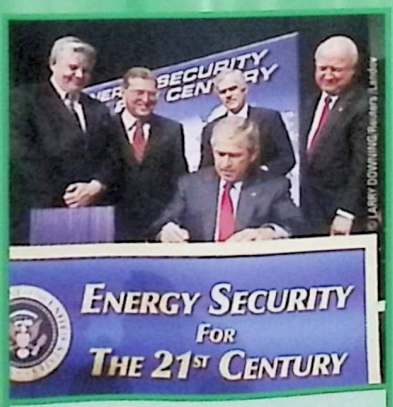
THE LONG RACE

The 2008 presidential campaign made headlines before a final candidate was even selected. The race for the presidency was already in full swing as of early 2007, which made it the longest election race in history. A variety of candidates made their bids for the White House, as Americans waited to hit the polls on November 4.

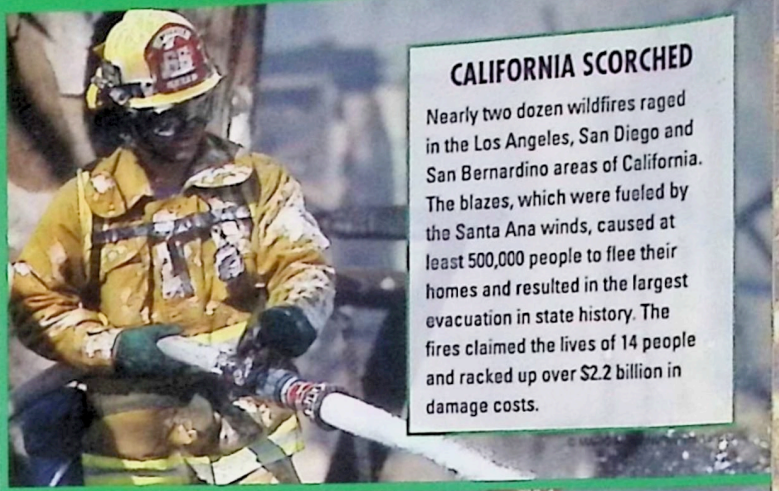


MORE MPGS

President George W. Bush signed an energy bill that updated automotive fuel economy standards for the first time in more than three decades. The new law required a corporate average of 35 miles per gallon (mpg) by the year 2020. It also boosted federal support for alternative fuel research and energy conservation efforts. The previous fuel economy standards, 27.5 mpg for passenger cars and 22.2 mpg for light trucks, were established in 1975.

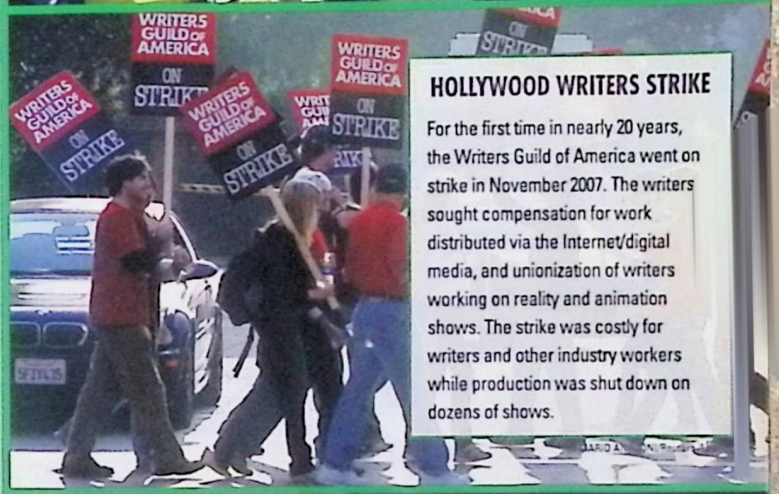
IRAQ UPDATE

In September, U.S. commander in Iraq, Gen. David Petraeus, announced that military goals of reduced killings in Baghdad and nationwide had been met. Yet, Iraqi ground forces requested U.S. forces to remain in place for the foreseeable future to help control internal security and to defend the nation from external threat. The United States has been at war in Iraq since March of 2003.



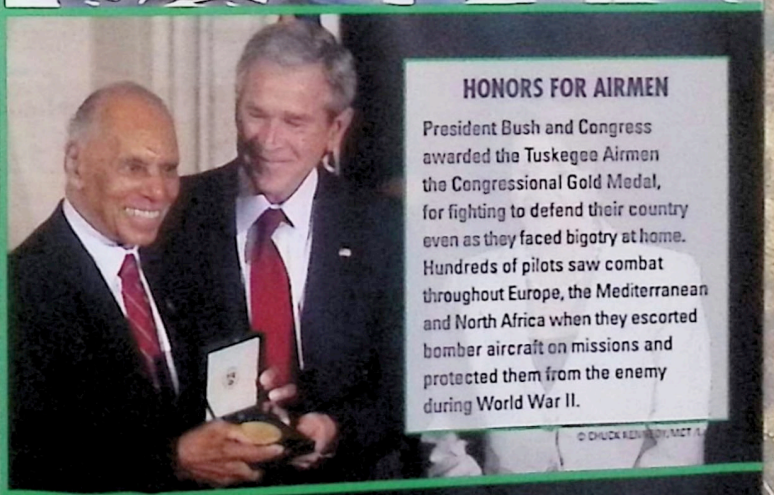
CALIFORNIA SCORCHED

Nearly two dozen wildfires raged in the Los Angeles, San Diego and San Bernardino areas of California. The blazes, which were fueled by the Santa Ana winds, caused at least 500,000 people to flee their homes and resulted in the largest evacuation in state history. The fires claimed the lives of 14 people and racked up over $2.2 billion in damage costs.



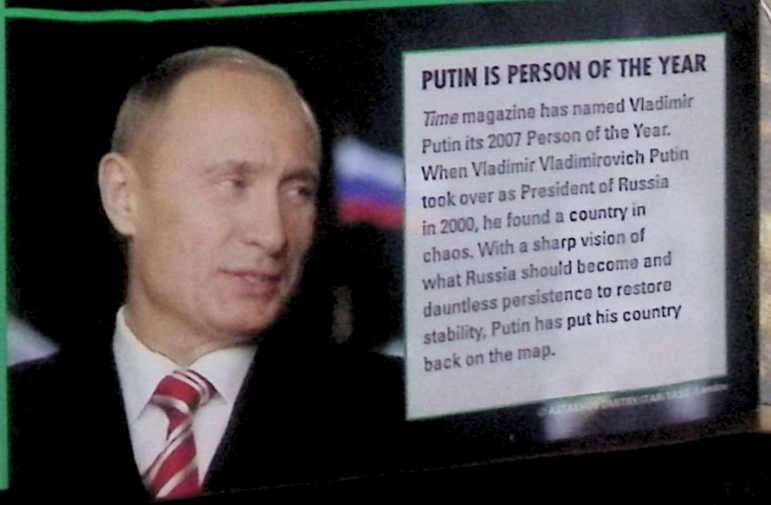
HOLLYWOOD WRITERS STRIKE

For the first time in nearly 20 years, the Writers Guild of America went on strike in November 2007. The writers sought compensation for work distributed via the Internet/digital media, and unionization of writers working on reality and animation shows. The strike was costly for writers and other industry workers while production was shut down on dozens of shows.



HONORS FOR AIRMEN

President Bush and Congress awarded the Tuskegee Airmen the Congressional Gold Medal, for fighting to defend their country even as they faced bigotry at home. Hundreds of pilots saw combat throughout Europe, the Mediterranean and North Africa when they escorted bomber aircraft on missions and protected them from the enemy during World War II.



PUTIN IS PERSON OF THE YEAR

Time magazine has named Vladimir Putin its 2007 Person of the Year. When Vladimir Vladimirovich Putin took over as President of Russia in 2000, he found a country in chaos. With a sharp vision of what Russia should become and dauntless persistence to restore stability, Putin has put his country back on the map.

WORLD DISCOVERIES

FATAL SUPERBUG

As of 2007, more than 90,000 Americans each year contracted potentially fatal staph infections from a drug-resistant "superbug." The bug was called methicillin-resistant staphylococus, or MRSA, and its bacteria was carried by healthy people where it lived on their skin or in their noses. It raised concerns because it became more common and it was resistant to penicillin. Without a vaccine for the superbug, the number of deaths caused by it each year could surpass the number of fatalities caused by the AIDS virus.

PANDA POOP TO PAPER

Chinese researchers from the Chengdu Giant Panda Breeding Base learned how to transform a two-ton daily load of panda waste into paper. The idea originated during a visit to Thailand, when they saw paper made from elephant dung. The researchers thought that their 40 bamboo-fed pandas, which produce about two tons of waste per day, could make an even finer paper. Their next step was finding paper mills to process their fiber-rich material into high quality paper.

MONSTER OF THE DEEP

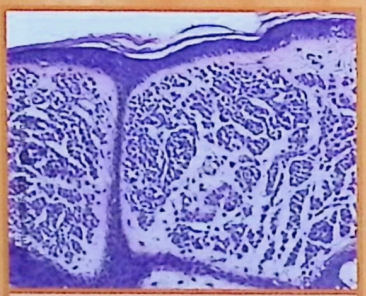
English scientists shared their discovery of an 18-inch fossilized claw that was part of an ancient sea monster. The "monster" was believed to be an 8-foot-long sea scorpion that lived 390 million years ago, and it was the largest of its kind ever found. The scorpions were dominant for millions of years before larger fish stole their reign of the deep seas.

THAT'S CLAMTASTIC!

The record for the longest-living animal went to a quahog clam that was found off the coast of Iceland. The 405-year-old quahog clam, nicknamed "Ming" after the Chinese dynasty that ruled at the time of its birth, broke the record previously held by a 374-year-old clam. That was one mighty mollusk!

KING TUT REVEALED

Eighty-five years after the discovery of King Tutankhamun's 3,000-year-old mummy, Tut's face was unveiled for the first time in 2007. The pharaoh's mummified body was displayed for the public in a climate-controlled glass box to protect it from the damaging effects of humidity. The traveling Tut exhibit drew more than 4 million people during a four-city United States tour, and it increased tourism in Egypt as well—there were over 9 million visitors last year.



SKIN CELLS TO THE RESCUE

Research groups from Kyoto University and the University of Wisconsin in Madison have discovered two different genetic recipes that give ordinary human skin cells the power to turn into virtually any kind of human tissue. With this capability, a person's own skin cells could be used to mend a broken spinal cord or repair heart damage. The scientists behind this amazing discovery warned that actual use of the skin cells was still years away, but the breakthrough was a "tremendous scientific milestone."

FUEL ALTERNATIVE

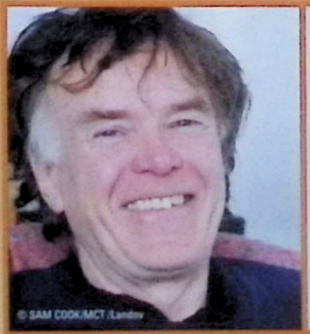
Shell Oil and German biofuel company Choren Industries planned the European launch of a new road fuel called Sunfuel for late 2007. This new fuel was made from wood chips and straw, and its program pilot for synthetic diesel was expected to shift the industry. The projected change involved using plant material waste instead of valuable food crops to create fuel. Sunfuel's cost was more than the price of oil, but Shell spokesmen expected the price to come down as production volume increased.

PURPOSEFUL APPENDIX

A team of surgeons and specialists at Duke University Medical School proposed a purpose for the appendix. The small organ, located at the beginning of the large intestine, was found to be a storage place for helpful bacteria. The shape of the appendix, as well as focused studies, supported the hypothesis that the appendix's function is to store and supply healthy protective bacteria for the digestive system.

CATCH OF THE DAY

New Zealand fishermen hauled in a colossal catch when they captured the largest squid ever seen. The Colossal Squid (*Mesonychoteuthis hamiltoni*) weighed over half a ton and measured 33 feet in length. The enormous squid specimen was caught in the Ross Sea near Antarctica, just as it was finishing off a meal of Patagonian toothfish.



STEGER EXPLORES WARMING ARCTIC

In May 2007, Will Steger completed his expedition to the Canadian Arctic to investigate retreating glaciers and other signs of climate change, as well as how the changes affect Inuit people. Steger targeted "emerging leaders" to join his expedition because he wanted the expedition results to reach young people. The team included two Americans, two Norwegians, a Canadian and a British person.

I explored Australia in order to interact with its wildest creatures, especially crocodiles. WHO AM I?

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ANSWER LOCATED ON BACK COVER

VITAMIN D CRAVING

The "sunshine vitamin," otherwise known as vitamin D, was found to improve optimal health for humans. Sunlight triggers the human body to produce vitamin D, and most tissues and cells have receptors for the vitamin. A lack of vitamin D was linked to various cancers, tuberculosis, schizophrenia, multiple sclerosis, hip fractures, and chronic pain.

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MIGHTY MOUSE

Paleontologists found the nearly complete fossilized skull of a giant prehistoric rat in Uruguay. Based on an analysis of its 21-inch-long skull, the rodent was estimated to weigh between 1 and 2.5 tons—about the size of a hippopotamus. Mighty Mouse, as the *Josephoartigasia monesi* specimen had been nicknamed, was a major find for researchers studying giant South American rodents.

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DOUBLE CLONED BURGER

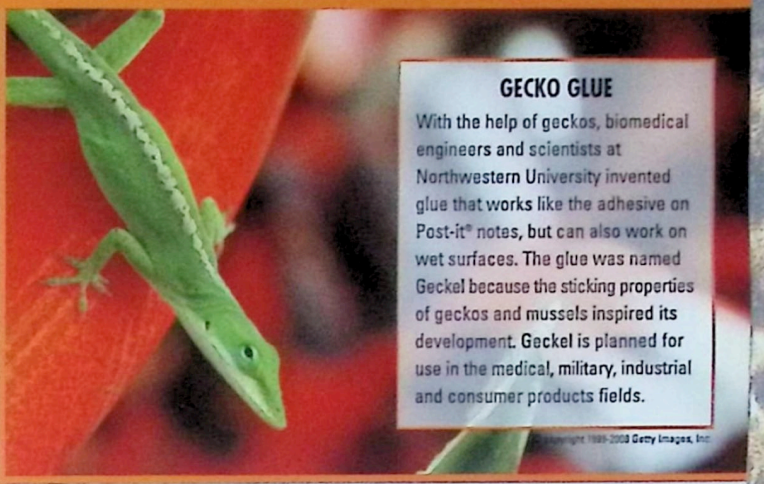
The Food and Drug Administration declared that meat and milk from cloned cattle, pigs and goats are safe to eat, which made the United States the first country to approve cloned food for consumption. The agency announced that it would not require food from clones to be labeled in the marketplace. The FDA awaited the public response to its news before moving forward; a 2006 survey documented that 64 percent of Americans are uncomfortable with animal cloning.

ARID OUTBACK

For the seventh year, Australia faced what has been called the country's worst drought in a millennium. Drinking-water reserves dipped to record lows across the country and billboards posted alarming consumption statistics. Experts warned that many nations around the world may have to adapt to less water. In response, conservation incentives and water recycling programs were implemented throughout Australia and served as an example for other countries.

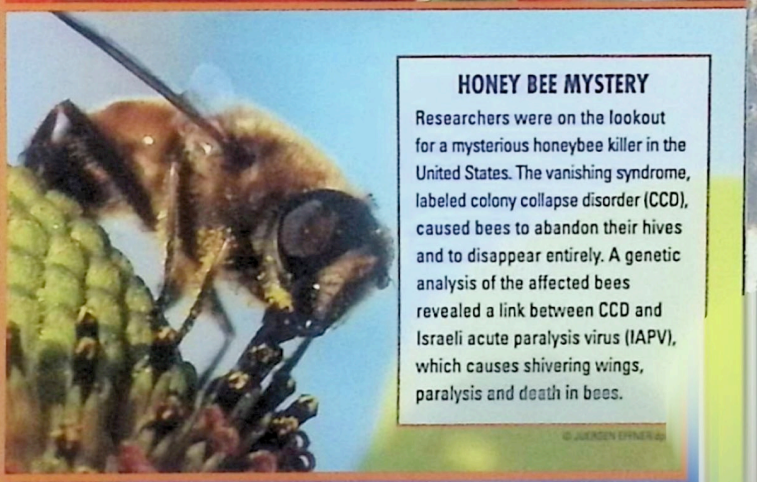
NET CAPTURES NEW SPECIES

The Philippines added a new bat species to its list of 74 native species, 24 of which can only be found in the Philippines. The Mindoro Stripe-Faced Fruitbat was discovered when it was accidentally captured in a net. The orange bat, with a distinctive white-striped face, was found on an island south of Manila. Researchers from the University of Kansas and the Comparative Biogeography and Conservation of Philippine Vertebrates (CBCPV) were responsible for the discovery.



GECKO GLUE

With the help of geckos, biomedical engineers and scientists at Northwestern University invented glue that works like the adhesive on Post-it® notes, but can also work on wet surfaces. The glue was named Geckel because the sticking properties of geckos and mussels inspired its development. Geckel is planned for use in the medical, military, industrial and consumer products fields.

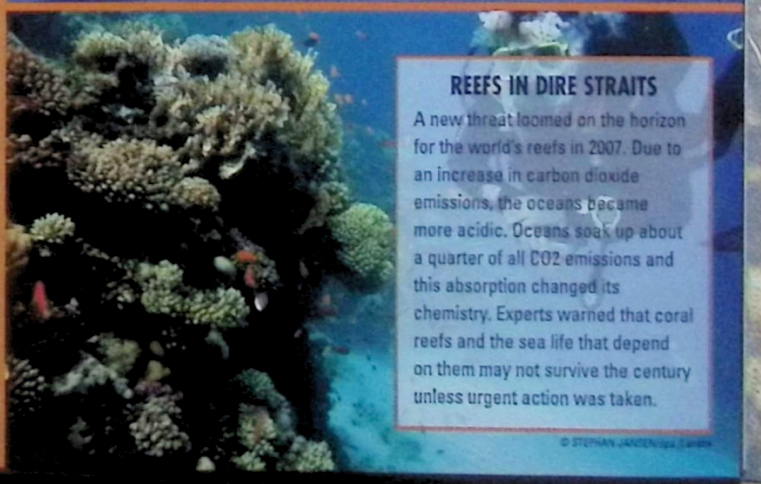


HONEY BEE MYSTERY

Researchers were on the lookout for a mysterious honeybee killer in the United States. The vanishing syndrome, labeled colony collapse disorder (CCD), caused bees to abandon their hives and to disappear entirely. A genetic analysis of the affected bees revealed a link between CCD and Israeli acute paralysis virus (IAPV), which causes shivering wings, paralysis and death in bees.

ENDANGERED NO LONGER

After a four-decade struggle to avoid extinction, the American bald eagle was officially removed from the endangered species list on June 28, 2007. The eagle population rose in 2007 to an estimated 10,000 mated pairs, compared with 417 eagles documented in 1963. Bald eagles continued to be protected by state statutes, the Migratory Bird Treaty Act and the Bald and Golden Eagle Act.



REEFS IN DIRE STRAITS

A new threat loomed on the horizon for the world's reefs in 2007. Due to an increase in carbon dioxide emissions, the oceans became more acidic. Oceans soak up about a quarter of all CO_2 emissions and this absorption changed its chemistry. Experts warned that coral reefs and the sea life that depend on them may not survive the century unless urgent action was taken.

TECH TOPICS

SUBTITLE GLASSES

Thanks to researchers at Madrid's Carlos III University, people with hearing impairments enjoyed going to the movies. The prototype for Subtitle Glasses included a mini-display that hangs over the right lens of the glasses to pick up the text that is wirelessly transmitted to it. The text is carefully timed to follow along with the movie, so that all moviegoers could enjoy the show.

VIRTUAL CITY VISIT

Google, the world's dominant search company, brought remote city streets into our homes with Google Maps' Street View. The map feature offered 360° panoramas of major cities such as New York, San Francisco and Chicago via the Web. City buildings, neighborhoods and landmarks across the United States became accessible for users who went to maps.google.com for a virtual stroll.

RISE AND SHINE

Inventors Eoin McNally and Ian Walton decided that an alarm clock was a completely unpleasant way to wake up in the morning. Instead, they created the glo Pillow. The pillow was embedded with a grid of LEDs below its surface and used the gradual increase of light as a wake-up call. The programmable foam pillow simulated a sunrise to naturally wake people up and ease them into the day.

LET IT SNOW

Northern Tibet saw its first snowfall in 2007 through the work of the Tibet Meteorological Bureau. The Chinese bureau injected clouds with silver iodide particles to create the successful half-inch (1.3 cm) of artificial snow that fell in Tibet, about 4,500 meters above sea level. The snow experiment was a response to warnings of melting glaciers and drought in the Himalayan region.

VACCINE BLOCKS BIRD FLU

The Food and Drug Administration approved the first bird flu vaccine and announced plans to stockpile it for emergency use during a crisis. The FDA's approval of the vaccine came at a critical time for preparations. In 2007, the H5N1 strain of the bird flu affected seven countries and prompted experts to warn of a pandemic if the virus gained the ability to transfer from human to human.

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF SPUTNIK

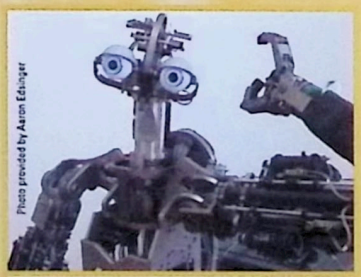
The world's first artificial satellite was launched into space on October 4, 1957, and it signified the start of the Great Space Race. NASA Administrator Michael Griffin said, "The Sputnik accomplishment by the Russian people was responsible for the creation of the American space program."
Fifty years later, Russians celebrated the Sputnik anniversary by leaving flowers at the tomb of Sergei Korolyov, the visionary behind the Sputnik launch and the father of the Soviet space program.

BOOKS "TO GO"

After several years in development, the Espresso book machine was released in 2007. The $50,000 Espresso machine printed a 300-page paperback on demand, complete with cover, in just three minutes for a cost of only a few dollars. There were initially 2.5 million books available for printing, which the machine can make in any language. The machine's creators, On Demand Books, predicted that eventually the book vending machine will have an infinite library available, due to its partnerships with Google and Open Content Alliance.

FORD SYNCS UP

Ford and Microsoft joined forces to create Sync, a new automotive electronics system. Sync linked Bluetooth-enabled mobile phones, wireless and USB-based devices into a car audio system. The main appeal of Sync was that it could be controlled by buttons on the steering wheel or by verbal commands to read and write text messages, as well as access tracks of music by artist, title, and genre information. Sync was an available option for 12 of the 2008 Ford, Lincoln or Mercury models, and a planned option for all 2009 models.



NEW AGE MR. ROBOTO

After nearly three years of work, MIT researchers finalized Domo, their robotic creation. Domo was a new breed of robot designed to assist humans with daily living. Using its computerized, human-looking eyeballs, Domo performed tasks that included identifying objects, reaching for items and placing them on shelves. Domo was equipped with a speech recognition system and the ability to sense touch, which made it an ideal helper for the elderly or mobility-impaired.

TEST PREDICTS ALZHEIMER'S

Stanford University researchers developed a new blood test that could potentially diagnose Alzheimer's disease by identifying 18 distinctive proteins that appear with consistency in the blood of Alzheimer's patients. The test demonstrated remarkable potential for predicting which patients with mild memory loss were at high risk for developing the disease.
As of 2008, it was estimated that 250,000 Alzheimer's cases went undiagnosed each year in North America.

My company has developed and sold popular products such as the iPod, iPod Shuffle and iPhone.
WHO AM I?

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ANSWER LOCATED ON BACK COVER

SWITCHED BLOOD TYPE

In the first known case of its type worldwide, an Australian girl spontaneously switched blood types and adopted her organ donor's immune system. Before her successful liver transplant, 9-year-old Demi-Lee Brennan was seriously ill. Nine months after the transplant, her blood type changed to match her donor's type when stem cells migrated from her new liver to her bone marrow. Despite the unusual nature of her recovery, Demi-Lee's health returned.

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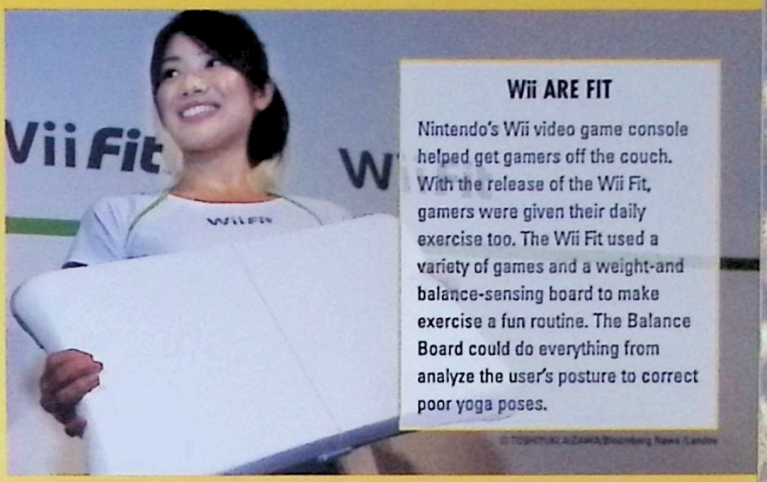
LAPTOPS FOR ALL

Nicholas Negroponte of the MIT Media Lab developed a computer that was attainable for the masses. For $150, a person could purchase the XO Laptop. Although the XO Laptop was not the most powerful computer made, the stripped-down machine was a good option for developing nations and for low-income areas within the United States. The low price encouraged governments to buy in bulk and it made a home computer a reality for many.



Wii ARE FIT

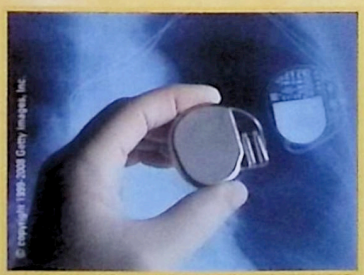
Nintendo's Wii video game console helped get gamers off the couch. With the release of the Wii Fit, gamers were given their daily exercise too. The Wii Fit used a variety of games and a weight-and balance-sensing board to make exercise a fun routine. The Balance Board could do everything from analyze the user's posture to correct poor yoga poses.

ULTIMATE HELIUM EXPERIMENT

Kent Couch of Bend, Ore., fulfilled his childhood dream when he floated 193 miles, from Oregon to Idaho, on a lawn chair with 105 helium balloons attached. Couch's flying lawn chair was equipped with a GPS system that also measured altitude and speed. After nine hours in the air and reaching an altitude of 15,500 feet, Couch popped enough balloons to safely land his "aircraft" on stable ground.

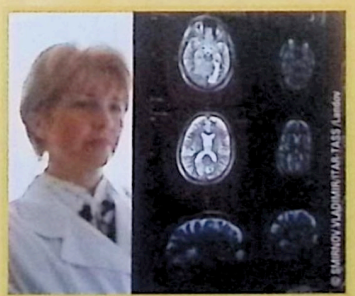
INVENTION OF THE YEAR

According to *Time* magazine, Apple's iPhone was 2007's Invention of the Year. The magazine bestowed its honor on Apple's cell phone becaus it was the first handheld computer t function as a mobile phone with an innovative touchscreen. In addition, the iPhone featured the stylish design and ease-of-use that consumers have come to expect from the Apple brand.



A LIFE-SAVING MISTAKE

Fifty years ago, Wilson Greatbatch made a small error while testing a device that was intended to record heart sounds. The mistake led to Greatbatch's improvement on the pacemaker design—the first implantable pacemaker. Prior to Greatbatch's accidental discovery, pacemakers were the size of a TV set and painful to use. Wilson Greatbatch's pacemaker was named one of the top ten greatest engineering contributions to society by the National Society of Professional Engineers.



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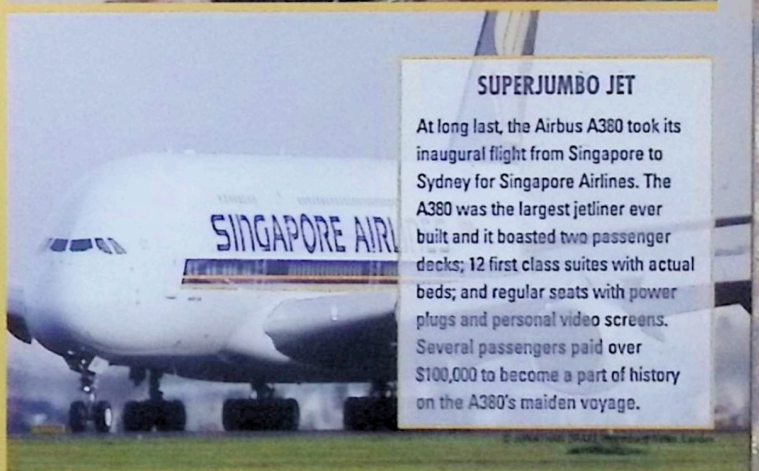
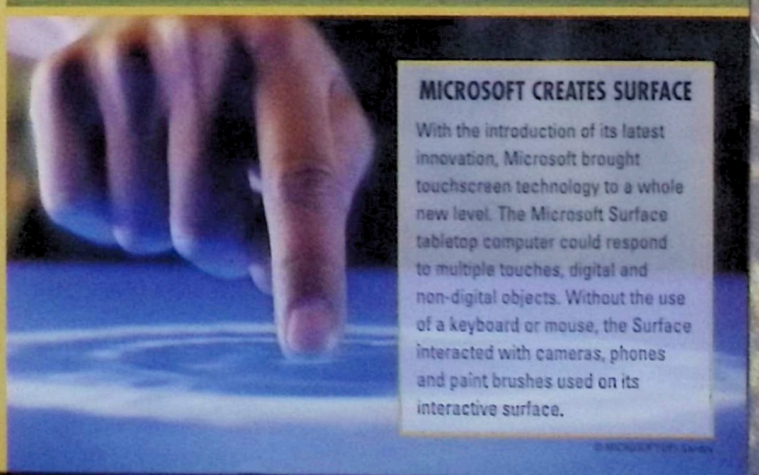
AWAKENING HOPE

A trial treatment for brain injuries offered hope for trauma patients. A gentle current of electricity was delivered by an implanted deep-brain simulator (DBS) to the injured brain of a 31-year-old male patient, and it successfully roused him from six years spent in a semi-conscious state. The electric treatment provided scientists with the insight to analyze brain activity and further develop methods for reconnecting unconscious patients with the world.



SUPERJUMBO JET

At long last, the Airbus A380 took its inaugural flight from Singapore to Sydney for Singapore Airlines. The A380 was the largest jetliner ever built and it boasted two passenger decks; 12 first class suites with actual beds; and regular seats with power plugs and personal video screens. Several passengers paid over $100,000 to become a part of history on the A380's maiden voyage.



MICROSOFT CREATES SURFACE

With the introduction of its latest innovation, Microsoft brought touchscreen technology to a whole new level. The Microsoft Surface tabletop computer could respond to multiple touches, digital and non-digital objects. Without the use of a keyboard or mouse, the Surface interacted with cameras, phones and paint brushes used on its interactive surface.

THE SCOREBOARD

TIGER TRIUMPHS

For the second year in a row, Woods claimed seven titles in a single season; he also secured golf's first-ever FedEx Cup and its $10 million bonus. The Golf Writers Association of America named Tiger its 2007 player of the year—an award that he won a record nine times within eleven years. With 62 PGA Tour titles to his name in 2008, Tiger Woods tied an impressive record set by golf great Arnold Palmer.

TEXAS BASKETBALL DYNASTY

The San Antonio Spurs have earned a place among basketball's elite. After sweeping the Cleveland Cavaliers 83-82 in Game Four of the NBA Finals, the Spurs added their third title in five years and their fourth in the last nine seasons. The Spurs joined the Boston Celtics, Los Angeles Lakers and Chicago Bulls as the only teams in NBA history to win four titles. Tony Parker, who averaged 24.5 points, was the first NBA player from Europe to be honored as MVP.

UNSTOPPABLE HENIN

After the longest three-set final in tournament history, Justine Henin rallied past Maria Sharapova to win the Sony Ericsson Championships and claim her 10th title of 2007. Henin was named Women's World Champion for the second year in a row, in addition to her 2003 title. She won two Grand Slam titles, Roland Garros and the U.S. Open, and she became the first woman to earn more than $5 million in a single year.

BOSTON'S BIG WIN

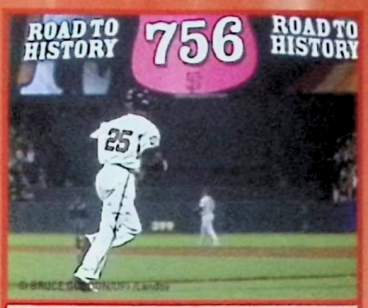
In 2004, the Boston Red Sox earned a long-overdue World Series title. After a 4-3 victory over the Colorado Rockies in Game 4, the Sox became Major League Baseball champions for the second time in four seasons. The win became a certainty when pitching powerhouse Jonathan Papelbon struck out Seth Smith to seal the 2007 World Series title for Boston.

PHOENIX RISING

The Phoenix Mercury seemed to do the impossible in the 2007 WNBA Finals. For the first time ever, they won a WNBA championship on another team's home court. The Phoenix beat defending champions, the Detroit Shock, with a 108-92 win. Phoenix's "big three"—MVP Cappie Pondexter, Diana Taurasi and Penny Taylor brought home the title for a franchise that had not been to the playoffs since 2000.

A GIANT UPSET

Super Bowl MVP Eli Manning threw two touchdown passes to lead the New York Giants to a 17-14 victory over the previously undefeated (18-0) New England Patriots. Giants wide receiver David Tyree amazed spectators with an outstanding catch that paved the way for the game-winning touchdown. With a record 97.5 million viewers, Super Bowl XLII was the most-watched Super Bowl match-up in sports history.

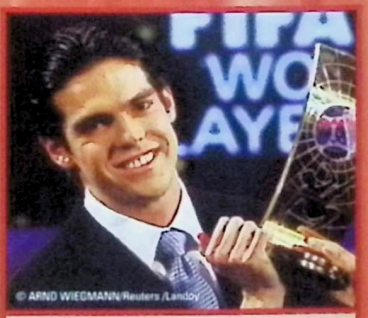


BONDS BEATS RECORD

Barry Bonds of the San Francisco Giants made headlines when he broke Hank Aaron's 33-year reign over the home run record with run No. 756 in the 5th inning against the Washington Nationals. Bonds achieved the record-breaking run by hitting the 84-mph fastball 435 feet into the right-center field seats. Major League Baseball Commissioner Bud Selig said, "While the issues which have swirled around this record will continue to work themselves toward resolution, today is a day for congratulations on a truly remarkable achievement."

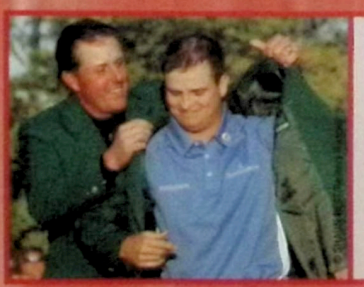
WINTER X GAMES 12

Shaun White scored his 12th Winter X medal in Aspen, Colo., with a gold medal win in the games' finale event, the Snowboard SuperPipe. Aspen's Gretchen Bleiler won the gold medal for the women's Snowboard SuperPipe event. Snowboarder Nate Holland grabbed his third consecutive gold, while Lindsey Jacobellis claimed her first X gold in three years. Also noteworthy was snowmobiler Levi LaVallee's triple gold medal wins.



SOCCER GREATS

The world's top male and female soccer players for 2007 were named by FIFA, and both players hail from Brazil. AC Milan's Kaká became the fifth Brazilian to be named FIFA World Player of the Year. The midfielder also was honored as Europe's top player for 2007. For the women, Marta Vieira da Silva captured her second consecutive World Player of the Year title. She helped the Brazilian team compete in the FIFA Women's World Cup in China.



JOHNSON IS THE MASTER

Zach Johnson, from Cedar Rapids, IA, won the Masters title with a two-shot victory at the 2007 tournament in Augusta, Ga. It was the 31-year-old's first Major tournament victory and only his third tournament win overall. Johnson finished the season with nearly $4 million in earnings.

I broadcast every Sunday Night Football game, I have a hit video game named after me, and I do not like to fly in airplanes.
WHO AM I?

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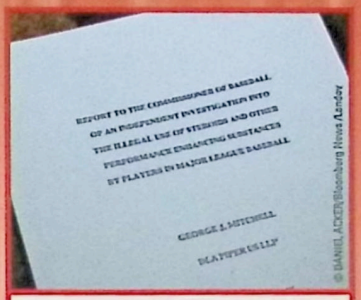
EARNHARDT'S NEW TEAM

Dale Earnhardt Jr. surprised racing fans when he announced his departure from the company that his father built, along with his five-year deal to drive for Hendrick Motorsports. Hendrick's garage included drivers Jeff Gordon, Jimmie Johnson and Casey Mears. Beginning in 2008, Earnhardt joined the line-up of the most dominant team in NASCAR racing.



REPORT TO THE COMMISSIONER OF BASEBALL
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GEORGE J. MITCHELL

MATTHEW BELLY

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MITCHELL REPORTS

Former U.S. Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell led the charge to clean up Major League Baseball with the publication of his 409-page report. The Mitchell Report, which identified baseball players who allegedly used performance-enhancing drugs, included a list of 7 MVPs and 31 All-Star players. MLB Commissioner Bud Selig and President Bush fully supported Mitchell's efforts to enforce drug-free baseball.

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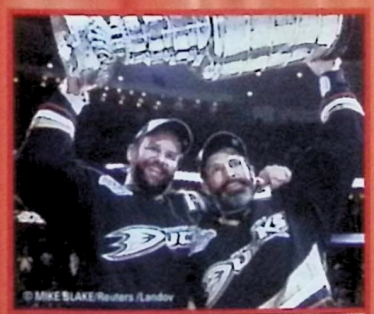
BOARDING SENSATION

At the age of 17, Ryan Sheckler was the youngest pro skateboarder on the circuit. The teenage dynamo quickly became known for his impressive skills and variety of skateboarding tricks. Sheckler reputedly skateboarded for the first time when he was only 18 months old. The young skateboarding superstar also starred in his own reality show on MTV, *Life of Ryan.*



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DUCKS CAPTURE VICTORY

The Anaheim Ducks waited 14 seasons to win the Stanley Cup. Their 6-2 win over the Ottawa Senators ended the long wait. MVP and Captain Scott Niedermayer led the Ducks to victory, with the help of brother Rob Niedermayer and fellow teammates Teemu Selanne and Chris Pronger. Selanne was the Ducks' leading scorer and Pronger held the only successful penalty-shot goal in Finals history. The Neidermayers were the first brothers since 1983 to win the Cup as teammates.

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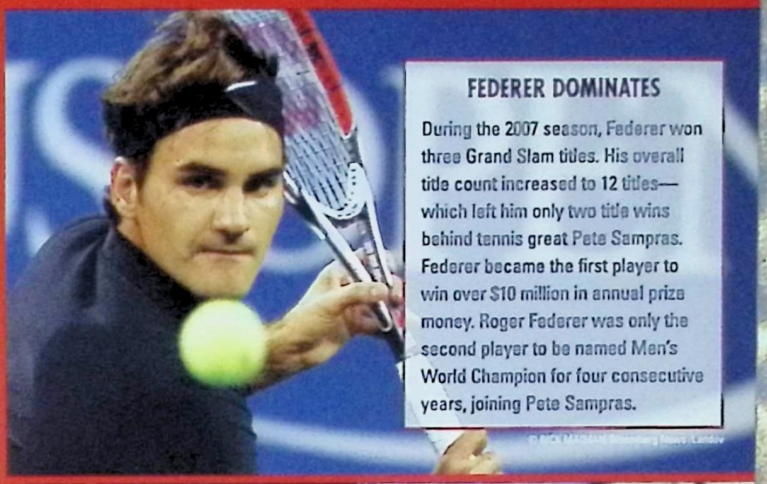
STREET SENSE PROVES IT

Street Sense came out on top in the 133rd Run for the Roses at Churchill Downs. The Kentucky Derby winner fought his way from nearly last place to win the race by over two lengths. It was a first-time Derby win for the colt's jockey, Calvin Borel, and the second for trainer Carl Nafzger. Street Sense was the first Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner to come back and win the Derby; he was also the first 2-year-old to win a Kentucky Derby and the highest-priced winning favorite in Derby history.



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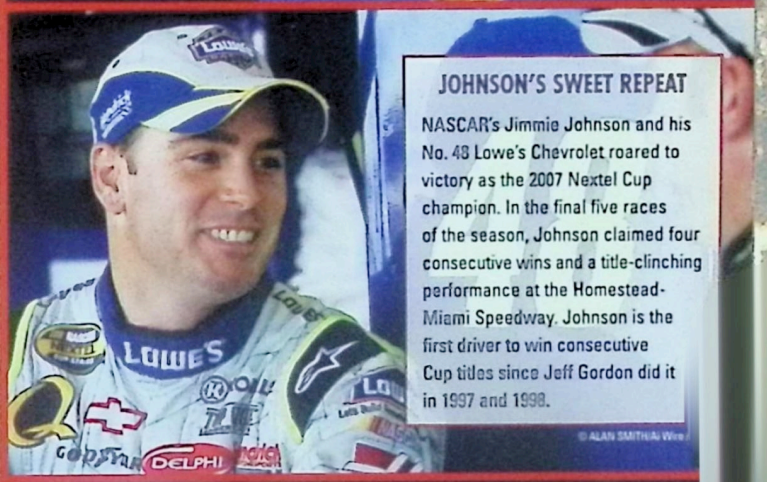
FEDERER DOMINATES

During the 2007 season, Federer won three Grand Slam titles. His overall title count increased to 12 titles—which left him only two title wins behind tennis great Pete Sampras. Federer became the first player to win over $10 million in annual prize money. Roger Federer was only the second player to be named Men's World Champion for four consecutive years, joining Pete Sampras.



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JOHNSON'S SWEET REPEAT

NASCAR's Jimmie Johnson and his No. 48 Lowe's Chevrolet roared to victory as the 2007 Nextel Cup champion. In the final five races of the season, Johnson claimed four consecutive wins and a title-clinching performance at the Homestead-Miami Speedway. Johnson is the first driver to win consecutive Cup titles since Jeff Gordon did it in 1997 and 1998.

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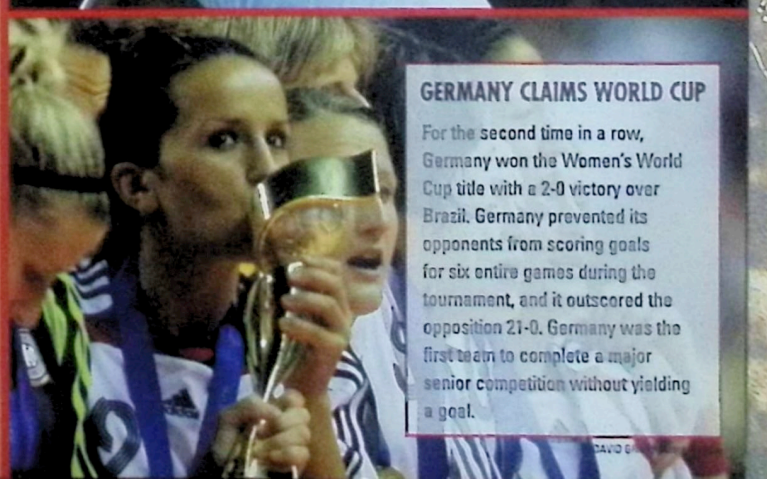
OCHOA ACHIEVES GREATNESS

Mexico's Lorena Ochoa had a big year: She won her first major in the Women's British Open at St. Andrews, and she finished her LPGA Tour season with eight victories and more than $4 million. Previously, no female player had won more than $3 million in a year. Ochoa rose to the No. 1 female world ranking and was voted female player of the year by the Golf Writers Association of America.



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GERMANY CLAIMS WORLD CUP

For the second time in a row, Germany won the Women's World Cup title with a 2-0 victory over Brazil. Germany prevented its opponents from scoring goals for six entire games during the tournament, and it outscored the opposition 21-0. Germany was the first team to complete a major senior competition without yielding a goal.

CHART TOPPERS

BLACK ENTERTAINMENT TELEVISION AWARDS

Beyonce was awarded the Best Female R&B Artist for 2007 title at the 7th annual Black Entertainment Television Awards. Gnarls Barkley won the Best Group Award, while *American Idol* star Jennifer Hudson reigned supreme as Best Actress. Legendary singer Diana Ross was honored with The Lifetime Achievement Award and Don Cheadle was the recipient of the Humanitarian Award.

DIXIE CHICKS SOAR AT GRAMMYS

The Dixie Chicks won big at the 49th Annual Grammy Awards. The music trio picked up awards for Album of the Year, Record of the Year, Country Album of the Year, Country Performance by a Duo or Group with Vocal and the Song of the Year for their single, "Not ady to Make Nice." Mary J. Blige's "Be Without You" won an award for Female R&B al Performance and John Mayer claimed the Pop Vocal Album award for *Continuum*.

THE TOP 10 HIT SINGLES OF 2007:

1. "Stronger" by Kanye West
2. "No One" by Alicia Keys
3. "The Sweet Escape" by Gwen Stefani feat. Akon
4. "Foundations" by Kate Nash
5. "Umbrella" by Rihanna feat. Jay-Z
6. "Lovestoned/I Think She Knows Interlude" by Justin Timberlake
7. "I Got It From My Mama" by Will.i.am
8. "Stop Me" by Mark Ronson feat. Daniel Merriweather
9. "Gimme More" by Britney Spears
10. "Grace Kelly" by Mika

THE TOP 10 MOVIES OF 2007:

1. *Spiderman 3*
2. *Shrek the Third*
3. *Transformers*
4. *Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End*
5. *Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix*
6. *The Bourne Ultimatum*
7. *300*
8. *Ratatouille*
9. *The Simpsons Movie*
10. *Wild Hogs*

MAGICAL NIGHT OF MUSIC

Singer Ricky Martin helped to open the 8th annual Latin Grammy Awards ceremony with a splash—he joined the Blue Man Group to perform while playing paint-drenched drums. Later, Martin accepted the award for Male Pop Vocal Album. However, the night belonged to Dominican singer Juan Luis Guerra, who won five awards and was honored with the prestigious Person of the Year award.

STARS SHINE AT AMERICAN MUSIC AWARDS

For the second year in a row, the stars of *American Idol* won big at the American Music Awards in Los Angeles. Newcomer Chris Daughtry reeled in multiple awards for Favorite Pop/Rock Album, Favorite Adult Contemporary Artist and Favorite Breakthrough Artist. Fellow *Idol* crooner Carrie Underwood was awarded Favorite Country Female Artist and Favorite Country Album for *Some Hearts*. For the Soul/Rhythm & Blues category, Rihanna won Favorite Female Artist and Akon was named Favorite Male Artist.

SOPRANOS HIT HIGH NOTE

HBO's hit show, *The Sopranos*, went out with a bang in its final season by winning the Emmy for Best Drama Series, as well as awards for Outstanding Writing and Outstanding Director. NBC also fared well at the 59th Emmy Awards—the network took home seven awards including *30 Rock's* Emmy for Best Comedy Series. Sally Field won Best Actress in a Drama Series for ABC's *Brothers & Sisters* and America Ferrera won Best Actress in a Comedy Series for *Ugly Betty*.

POWER TO THE PEOPLE

The 34th annual People's Choice Awards festivities were also called off due to the Hollywood writers strike, but the winners were still selected and announced. *Pirates of the Caribbean: At World's End* won awards for Favorite Movie and Favorite Threequel. The award for Favorite New TV Comedy went to *Samantha Who?*, Gwen Stefani and Justin Timberlake each won for the Favorite Female Singer and Favorite Male Singer categories.

I was the very first *American Idol* winner and my hometown is Burleson, TX. WHO AM I?

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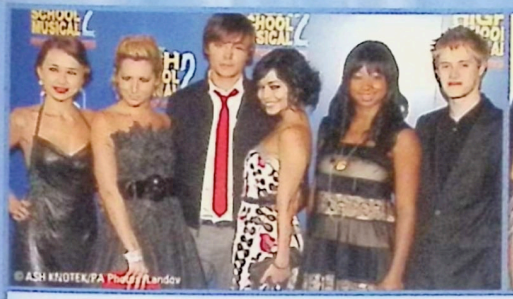
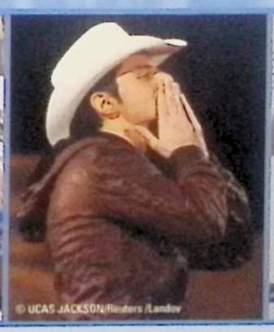
NELLY'S NIGHT

Nelly Furtado had a big night at the Canadian Juno Awards with a sweep of multiple categories. She claimed the Juno Fan Choice Award, Single of the Year, Album of the Year, Pop Album of the Year and Artist of the Year. Billy Talent was awarded Group of the Year and Tomi Swick was named New Artist of the Year.



CHOICE FOR TEENS

TV was hot this year at the Teen Choice Awards. The Disney sensation and teen favorite, *High School Musical 2*, snagged the Choice TV Movie Award. Miley Cyrus, star of *Hannah Montana*, won the Choice TV Actress Award for comedy and *Hannah Montana* also won the comedy category for Choice TV Show. Teens voted *American Idol* the Choice TV Reality Show winner and Avril Lavigne's song, "Girlfriend," won the Choice Music Single Award.

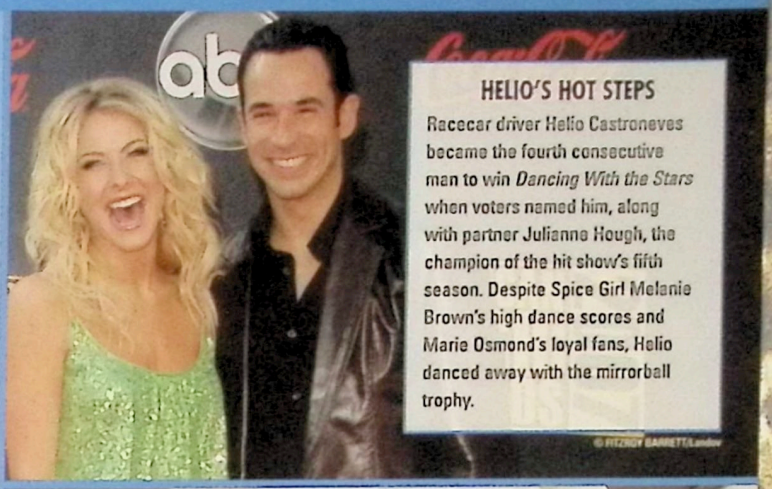


COUNTRY'S BIGGEST NIGHT

It was a night full of country's biggest stars at the 41st annual Country Music Awards in Nashville, Tenn. Kenny Chesney won his third Entertainer of the Year award and Brad Paisley finally won his well-deserved Male Vocalist of the Year award after seven previous nominations in that category. Carrie Underwood won her second consecutive Female Vocalist of the Year award and the Single of the Year award for the smash hit, "Before He Cheats."

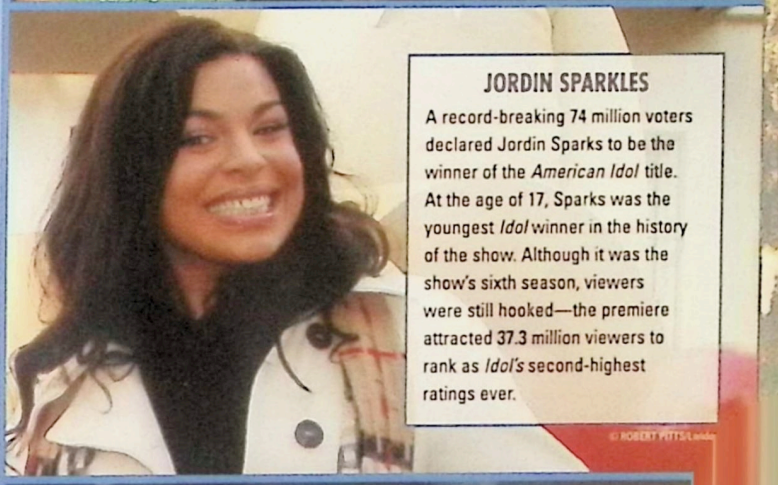
AWARDS MUST GO ON

Due to the continuing Hollywood writers strike, the 65th annual Golden Globes did not include the traditional awards show celebration. *Entertainment Tonight's* Mary Hart announced the winners during a press conference at The Beverly Hilton in Beverly Hills, Calif. Award winners included *Atonement* for Best Motion Picture – Drama and Best Original Score, and *Sweeney Todd* for Best Motion Picture – Comedy or Musical. Disney and Pixar's *Ratatouille* won Best Animated Feature Film.



HELIO'S HOT STEPS

Racecar driver Helio Castroneves became the fourth consecutive man to win *Dancing With the Stars* when voters named him, along with partner Julianne Hough, the champion of the hit show's fifth season. Despite Spice Girl Melanie Brown's high dance scores and Marie Osmond's loyal fans, Helio danced away with the mirrorball trophy.

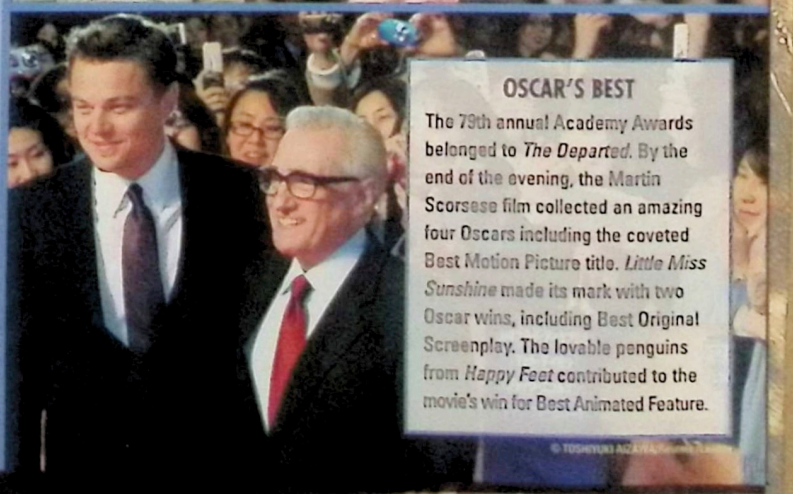


JORDIN SPARKLES

A record-breaking 74 million voters declared Jordin Sparks to be the winner of the *American Idol* title. At the age of 17, Sparks was the youngest *Idol* winner in the history of the show. Although it was the show's sixth season, viewers were still hooked—the premiere attracted 37.3 million viewers to rank as *Idol's* second-highest ratings ever.

TIMBERLAKE TOPS VMAs

Justin Timberlake won Video Music Awards for Male Artist of the Year, Quadruple Threat of the Year, Best Choreography and Best Direction. Fergie took home a statue for Female Artist of the Year, while Rihanna scored the Monster Single of the Year award and Video of the Year for her summer sizzler, "Umbrella," featuring Jay-Z.



OSCAR'S BEST

The 79th annual Academy Awards belonged to *The Departed*. By the end of the evening, the Martin Scorsese film collected an amazing four Oscars including the coveted Best Motion Picture title. *Little Miss Sunshine* made its mark with two Oscar wins, including Best Original Screenplay. The lovable penguins from *Happy Feet* contributed to the movie's win for Best Animated Feature.

THE SCOOP

WANNA BE A ROCKSTAR?

Activision, developer and publisher of Guitar Hero III: Legends of Rock, enjoyed record earnings for the latest rock star simulation game. Within the first week of sales, Guitar Hero III earned $115 million and set a sales record for the Guitar Hero franchise. Rock on!

SIMPSONS HIT THE BIG SCREEN

After nearly a decade of movie buzz, *The Simpsons Movie* hit theatres with a bang in July. The animated film was credited with the biggest debut ever for a television cartoon adaptation. Although the FOX television series was in its 18th season when the movie premiered, the film attracted even more viewers.

MORE THAN MEETS THE EYE

Transformers, the 1984 hit cartoon series, was reborn on the big screen. The movie attracted plenty of new fans, as well as the now-grown children of the 1980s. Steven Spielberg helped to bring the transforming robots to life as the film's executive producer, and it earned $700 million at the box office worldwide.

NYC TAXIS GO GREEN

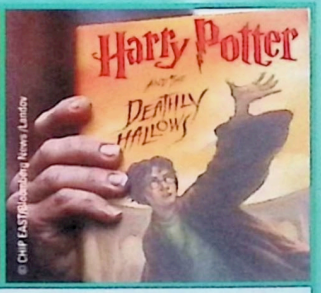
New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg announced that the city's taxis will be completely hybrid within five years. The city has already tested nearly 400 fuel-efficient hybrid taxi cabs. Under Bloomberg's plan, the number of hybrid taxis would increase each year until 2012, when every taxi will be hybrid.

AREWELL TO FAMED DAREDEVIL

2007, the world said goodbye to a man who took danger to epic heights—Evel Knievel passed away at the age of 69 in Clearwater, Fla. One of Knievel's best-known and most terrifying stunts involved vaulting his motorcycle 151 feet over the fountains of Las Vegas' Caesars Palace in 1967. Throughout his career, it was estimated that Knievel performed hundreds of hair-raising motorcycle stunts and underwent as many as 15 major surgeries to repair his broken bones.

PRIZED AWARENESS

Former U.S. Vice President Al Gore and the U.N. Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change were awarded the 2007 Nobel Peace Prize on October 12 in Oslo, Norway, for their work to raise public awareness regarding climate change issues. The Nobel Peace Prize committee cited the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change for two decades of scientific reports that have "created an ever-broader informed consensus about the connection between human activities and global warming."



POTTER MANIA

Harry Potter mania expanded from books and movies to include a Harry Potter theme park in Florida, which was scheduled to open in 2009. J.K. Rowling's final book in her seven-volume series, *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows*, flew off bookshelves and into the eager hands of Potter fans on July 21, 2007. An amazing 8.3 million copies of the book were sold within the first 24 hours in the U.S.

CAREY IS RIGHT

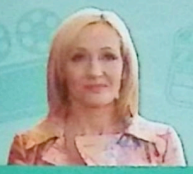
October 15 marked the beginning of the 36th season for game show *The Price is Right* and the debut of its new host, Drew Carey. The show, which premiered on September 4, 1972, was the longest-running television game show in T.V. history as of 2008. Previous host Bob Barker retired after 35 years on the show.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, LEGO!

The LEGO brick celebrated a milestone in 2008 when it turned 50 years old. LEGO noted the exact time of the LEGO brick's birthday when the company's first patent was filed for the brick on January 28, 1958, at 1:58 p.m. LEGO continued to grow; as of its 50th birthday, there were 62 LEGO bricks for every person on Earth and 2.16 LEGO elements were produced every hour.

INTO THE WILD RELEASED

After more than ten years, the movie version of Jon Krakauer's bestselling book, *Into the Wild*, was released in theatres. *Into the Wild* tells the true story of Christopher McCandless, an accomplished young man who abandoned his possessions, gave his entire $24,000 savings to charity, and hitchhiked to Alaska to live in the wilderness. With the permission of the McCandless family, director Sean Penn shared Chris's story with moviegoers everywhere.



I am a best-selling author from Great Britain and my latest book set a world record for the number of copies printed.
WHO AM I?

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PRIZE-WINNING READ

The American Library Association announced its pick for this year's John Newberry Medal for best children's book: Laura Amy Schlitz's *Good Masters! Sweet Ladies!: Voices From a Medieval Village*. Schlitz has been working on the book since 1997, when she got the idea while teaching fifth grade students about the Middle Ages. Schlitz viewed the prized book as a chance to combine education and entertainment.

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ECO-CRUSADER

Colin Beavan achieved a personal challenge—to live in New York City for one year without negatively impacting the environment in any way. Beavan, along with his wife and 2-year-old daughter, committed to live without producing trash, carbon emissions and toxins, as well as avoiding the use of any environmentally harmful machines. Beavan's accomplishment earned him recognition as one of the Most Influential Men of 2007, according to msn.com.

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FASHION WITH A PURPOSE

In just two years, Lindsay Giambattista of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., turned a community service project into a thriving non-profit organization. Lindsay started with only 10 trash bags full of apparel to provide clothing for girls in foster care. Taylor's Closet, named after Lindsay's sister who died at birth, received $1 million dollars worth of clothing per year from designers, retailers and private donations in 2007.

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TRENDS & FADS

For 2007, trends included a mix of fabrics and materials such as plaid, tweed, patent leather, animal prints and metallics. Jeans became skinny or wide-leg, and longer shirts became the norm. Platform heels, ballet flats, booties and knee-high boots were seen on nearly every city sidewalk. Additional trends included bright colors, eco-friendly fashion, tote bags, trapeze dresses, empire waists and oversized clutch purses.

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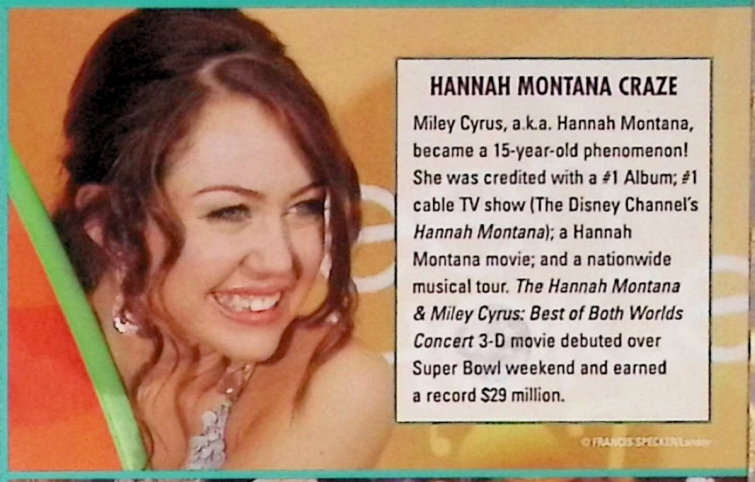
EVEREST HERO DIES

Sir Edmund Hillary, the first man to successfully climb the world's highest peak, died at the age of 88 on January 11, 2008. Hillary, along with Tenzing Norgay, completed his scale of the 29,035-foot Mount Everest on May 29, 1953. After his famed ascent, Hillary led many expeditions to the South Pole. Hillary founded the Himalayan Trust, which was responsible for building hospitals, clinics, bridges, airstrips and nearly 30 schools.



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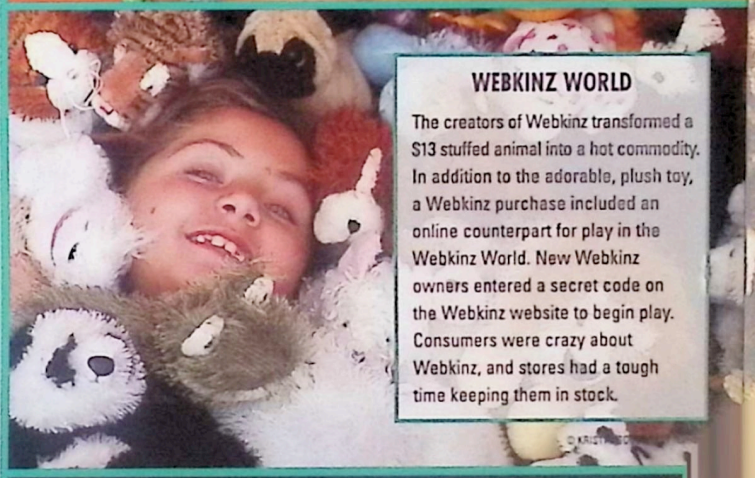
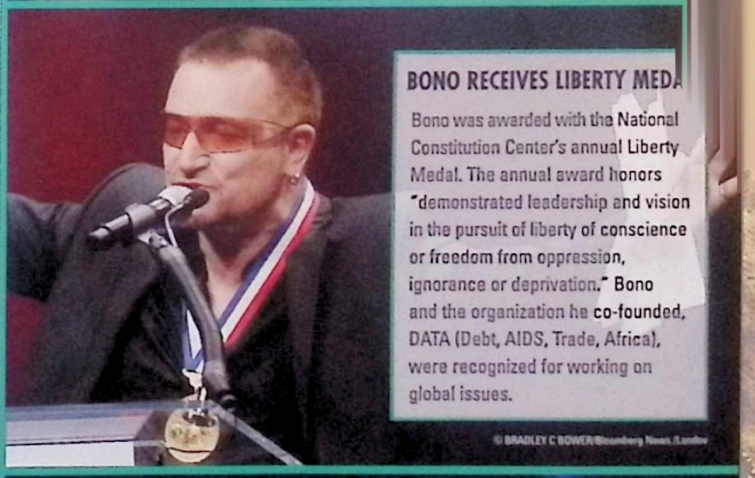
HANNAH MONTANA CRAZE

Miley Cyrus, a.k.a. Hannah Montana, became a 15-year-old phenomenon! She was credited with a #1 Album; #1 cable TV show (The Disney Channel's *Hannah Montana*); a Hannah Montana movie; and a nationwide musical tour. *The Hannah Montana & Miley Cyrus: Best of Both Worlds Concert* 3-D movie debuted over Super Bowl weekend and earned a record $29 million.



WEBKINZ WORLD

The creators of Webkinz transformed a $13 stuffed animal into a hot commodity. In addition to the adorable, plush toy, a Webkinz purchase included an online counterpart for play in the Webkinz World. New Webkinz owners entered a secret code on the Webkinz website to begin play. Consumers were crazy about Webkinz, and stores had a tough time keeping them in stock.



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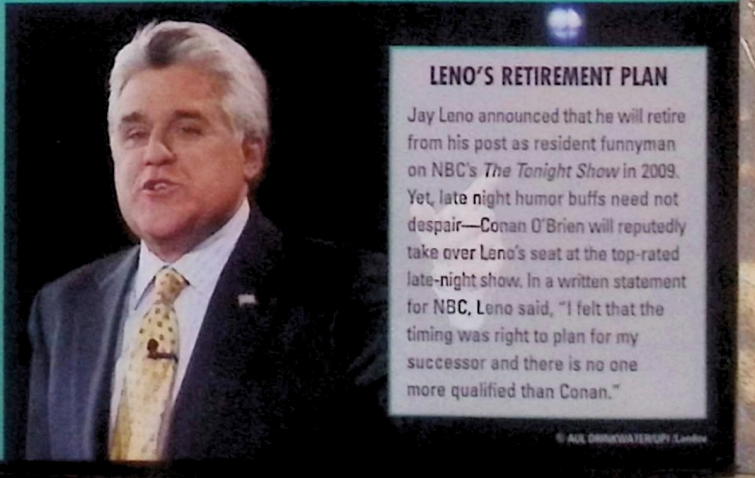
BONO RECEIVES LIBERTY MEDA

Bono was awarded with the National Constitution Center's annual Liberty Medal. The annual award honors "demonstrated leadership and vision in the pursuit of liberty of conscience or freedom from oppression, ignorance or deprivation." Bono and the organization he co-founded, DATA (Debt, AIDS, Trade, Africa), were recognized for working on global issues.



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LENO'S RETIREMENT PLAN

Jay Leno announced that he will retire from his post as resident funnyman on NBC's *The Tonight Show* in 2009. Yet, late night humor buffs need not despair—Conan O'Brien will reputedly take over Leno's seat at the top-rated late-night show. In a written statement for NBC, Leno said, "I felt that the timing was right to plan for my successor and there is no one more qualified than Conan."

ALL ABOUT ME

Outtakes
-My Faves-

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MY FRIENDS _____

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Coming Attractions

WHEN I GROW UP, I WANT TO BE _____

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NEXT YEAR, I HOPE TO _____

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I HOPE MY FAMILY WILL CONSIST OF _____

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MY FUTURE PET(S) WILL BE _____

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I WANT TO LIVE IN _____

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Rave Reviews

MY FRIENDS CALL ME _____

MY BEST MEMORY FROM 2008 _____

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MY FAVORITE TEACHER WAS _____

MY FAVORITE SUBJECT WAS _____

I LIKE TO EAT AT _____

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WHAT THINGS COST AROUND THE COUNTRY

Movie Ticket:	$9.50/adult $6.50/child
Matinee Show:	$6.50
32 oz Popcorn:	$5.00
Soda:	$5.00
Hot Dog:	$4.00
Candy:	$4.75

DVD:	$14.99
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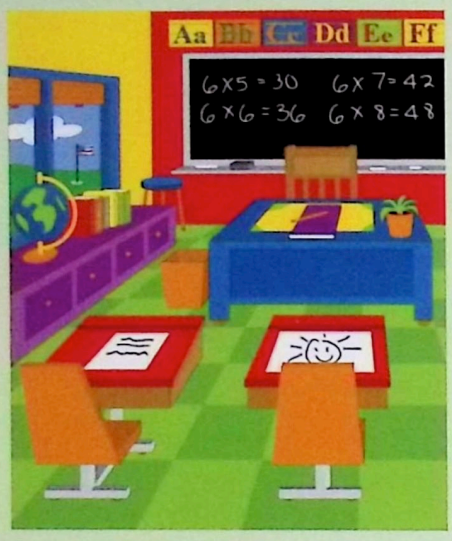

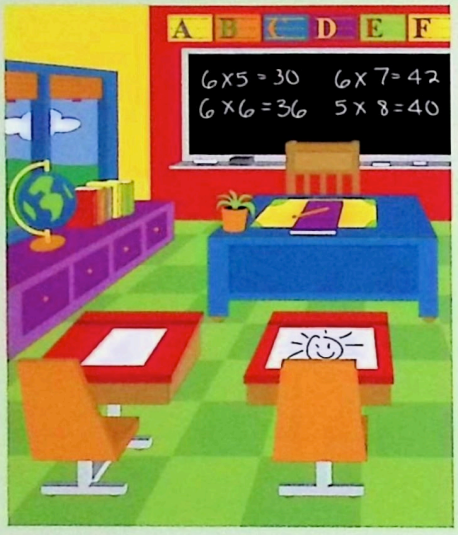

FIND 8 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE TWO PICTURES

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8 differences: lower case letters missing from alphabet, globe turned, trash can missing, stool missing, 6x8=48 changed to 5x8=40, paper on the left is blank, flag missing, plant moved

THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

Get a friend, family member or teacher to help you write the story. Ask them for a series of words to fill the spaces in the story below. The words may not create a normal story, but they will lead to a funny, crazy or silly story that is a lot of fun!

One nice morning near the end of summer, my _____ (family member) woke me up at _____ (number) A.M. and said "Wake up and smell the _____ (noun), sleepyhead! Today is the first day of school!"

I stayed in bed for _____ (number) seconds, but got up and got ready. I wore a blue and white shirt with _____ (noun) on it, _____ (color) pants, white socks, black shoes and a(n) _____ (adjective) hat. I packed my lunch in my _____ (famous character) lunchbox and ate _____ (food) for breakfast. I put my notebook and _____ (noun) into my backpack for my big day.

_____ (number) hours later, the _____ (color) school bus picked me up. Soon I was at school. I met two really _____ (adjective) kids and we became friends. They like to _____ (verb) in their spare time, just like me.

We were all in the same class with a teacher who is very _____ (adjective). We have a class pet. It is a _____ (animal), named _____ (proper noun). We will feed it _____ (noun) every morning.

During _____ (subject) class, I sat with my new _____ (adjective) friends when we learned what _____ (noun) were and what they are for.

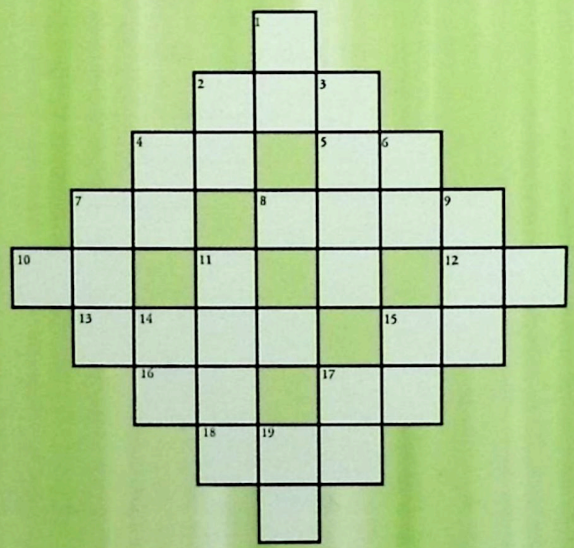
After lunch, we had recess. We played _____ (game) and had fun!

In gym class, we were _____ (verb ending in "ing") off ropes onto _____ (noun).

After _____ (subject) class, it was time to go home. Before I got on the bus, I shouted _____ (phrase or exclamation) to my friends. The bus ride was _____ (adjective) and before I knew it, I was home. What a _____ (adjective) day!

CROSS-NUMBER PUZZLE

Use the clues below to fill the numbers into the grid.



ACROSS

2. 363 divided by three
4. Forty minus eleven
5. Number of letters in the alphabet
7. One hundred eight divided by six
8. 1003 doubled
10. Number of hours in a day
12. Fifteen times five
13. Finish this sequence: 9,8,7,6,5,__,__,__,__
15. Eleven times four
16. Number of days in two weeks
17. One hundred minus one
18. Three times one hundred twenty

DOWN

1. Six times two
2. Nine plus ten
3. Two hundred times six
4. Seven times four
6. Number of minutes in an hour
7. Twelve squared
9. 2696 divided by four
11. Half of 8486
14. Twenty eight plus three
15. Seven squared
17. Three times thirty
19. Fifty plus thirteen

Cross Number Puzzle: Across: (2) 121; (4) 29; (5) 26; (7) 18; (8) 2006; (10) 24; (12) 75; (13) 4221; (15) 44; (16) 14; (17) 99; (18) 360
Down: (1) 12; (2) 19; (3) 1200; (4) 28; (6) 60; (7) 144; (9) 674; (11) 4243; (14) 31; (15) 49; (17) 90; (19) 63

WHO AM I? Answers: (Headline News) Arnold Schwarzenegger; (World Discoveries) Steve Irwin; (Tech Topics) Steve Jobs; (The Scoreboard) John Madden; (Chart Toppers) Kelly Clarkson; (The Scoop) J.K. Rowling

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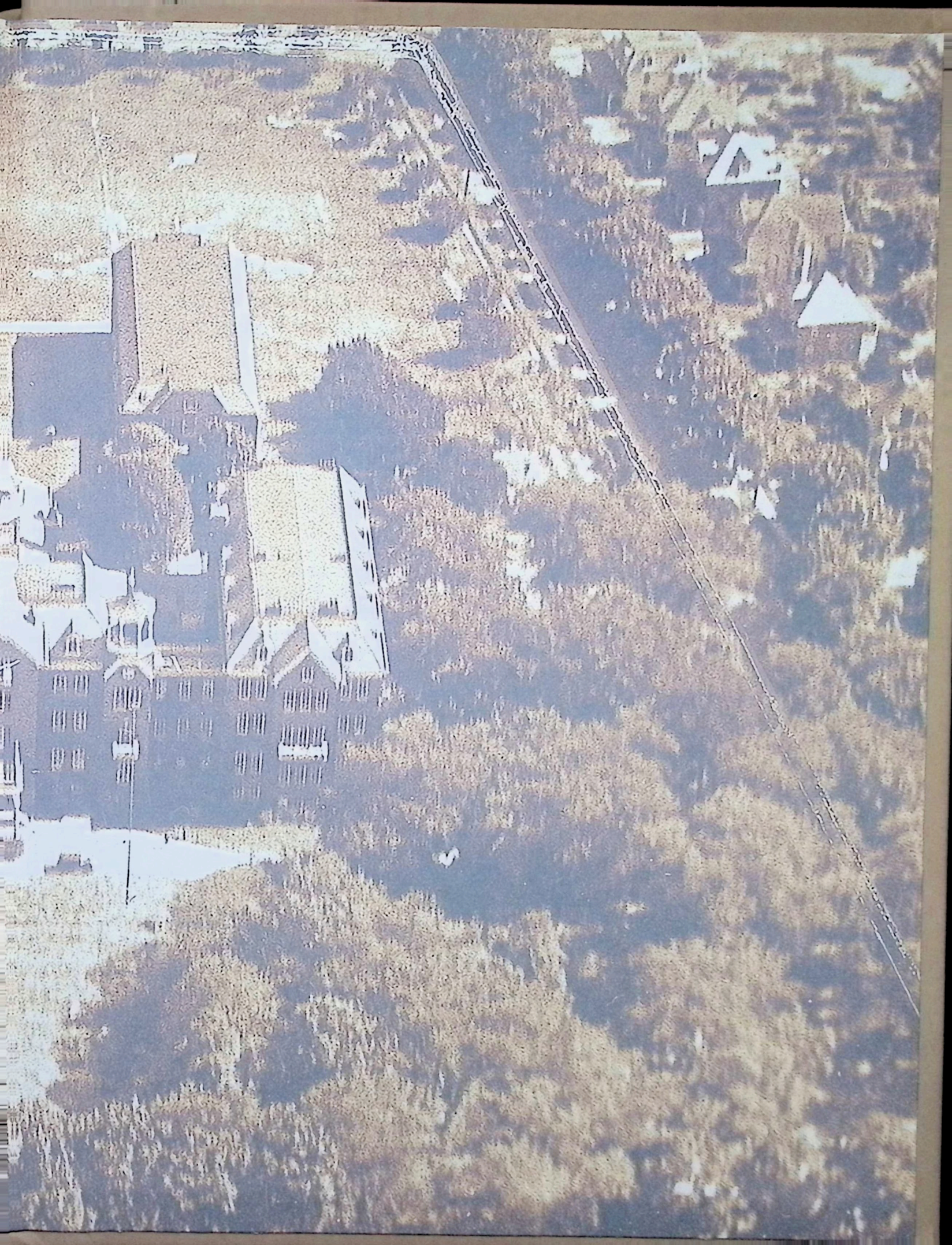

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